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MOVING ON UP

**Winchester House gets new life**
The Lake County Board recently voted in favor of constructing a new Winchester House in Libertyville. The new facility will have about 200 beds to house elderly residents. PAGE 3A



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GET OUT AND GO

Five things to do in and around Lake County:

**First-class show**
**Friday, Sept. 14**
Second City will perform the College of Lake County Campus in Grayslake. Info: 847-543-2077

**A civil event**
**This weekend**
The 5th annual Lake Villa Living History Weekend will be at the Lehmann Mansion in Lake Villa. Info: 847-265-8266

**Hooked on fishing**
**Saturday, Sept. 15**
A muskie seminar will take place at the Bass Pro Shops Outdoor World in Gurnee. Info: 847-856-1229

**Classic cars on display**
**Wednesday, Sept. 19**
Car Fun on 21, a classic car show, will be on Church Street in Libertyville. Info: 847-680-0336

**Dancin' in the street**
**Saturday, Sept. 15**
Street Dance - Music at the Metra will be at the Libertyville Metra Station. Info: 847-680-0336

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# New director, same tune



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Warren Township High School's new band director, Andrew Russell, directs the school's jazz ensemble in the band room at Warren's Almond campus.

## Veteran band director retires from Warren Township High School

By JOSEPH MULLER
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GURNEE – The current band directors at Warren Township High School plan to continue the legacy left by former band director Tom Beckwith, who retired at the end of the 2006-07 school year.

In his nearly 30 years of service, Beckwith led the reputation of the Warren's bands to a national level – including the Jazz Ensemble's participation in The Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic in 1995, and Symphonic Band One's participation in The National Concert Band Festival in 1998 and 2003.

Warren competed with more than 1,000 bands for one of 16 spots at the National Concert Band Festival.

Many people taught by Beckwith miss not only his fine conducting abilities, but the way he communicated with students and teachers, said Kurt Gros, Warren associate band director.

> "I am supremely confident that they will carry on and enhance the great traditions of the Warren bands."
>
> **Tom Beckwith**
> Retired Warren associate band director

Gros said Beckwith conducted in a way that demanded a student's respect without sounding too serious.

"It's a very interesting and effective way to communicate with kids," Gros said.

"Our plan is to keep the ball rolling," said Andrew Russell, new associate band director. The existing band directors at Warren said they intend to keep the bands participating in the same competitions while helping students continue to grow as musicians.

Russell played in the University of Illinois Jazz Bands, and in multiple jazz combos. Russell uses his expertise to conduct Warren's Jazz Ensemble, Warren's premier jazz band, and to work closely with the percussion of Warren's Competition marching band.

Although Beckwith retired last year, he is still involved in Warren Band Boosters, an organization of band parents that help fund Warren's bands. In this organization, Beckwith will support Warren's bands while watching his own children play in Warren's band program.

"I am truly excited to have these two very gifted and committed young band directors working with Mr. Jenkins at Warren," Beckwith said. "I am supremely confident that they will carry on and enhance the great traditions of the Warren bands."

SPORTS



**>> PrepSports**

**Warren stuns Libertyville**
Ever heard of Blue Devil sophomore running back Greg Kennedy? He racked up over 100 yards and three touchdowns in the second half to lead Warren to a conference victory. PAGE 8B

**Wauconda now 3-0**
Wauconda is 3-0 for the first time in the Glen Kozlowski era. How, you ask? Running back Brad Wisniewski had something to do with it. PAGE 9B

**>> Can'tMiss**

**Football**
Wauconda at Antioch, 7:30 p.m., Friday

**Girls volleyball**
Wauconda Invitational, 8 a.m., Saturday

**>> SideLines**
Sports editor Daniel J. Patrick asks sports fans to put away envy and feel for Bears safety Mike Brown. Patrick argues that even with his millions, Brown has closed an era in his life. PAGE 8B

LAKELIFE

**>> OnTheCover**

The Rolls Royce that drove Princess Diana while she visited the Chicago area in 1996 is now permanently on display at Volo Auto Museum. PAGE 1B

**>> ElementsOfTheRidiculous**



Columnist Jana Thompson gives readers an entertaining quiz about driving – especially for those who drive trucks. PAGE 7B

WEB POLL

**This week's question**

Should the county build a new, smaller Winchester House?
A) It will be more efficient.
B) It's a bad idea.
C) The county needs to ensure the new plan will be approved by the state.
D) There needs to be enough beds to accommodate a growing county.
E) Undecided.

Vote at LakeCountyJournals.com

**Last week's question**

What do you think is the most appropriate way to curtail dog fighting?
• Fines, jail and don't let offenders own animals again (83 percent)
• Heavy fines, a year or more in jail (10 percent)
• Outlaw pit bulls (7 percent)

IN MOTION

The Waukegan Air Show features impressive aerial feats, Donny Osmond brings down the house at the Genesee Theatre, and local high school sports get into full swing. Check out these events in our Week in Photos online at LakeCountyJournals.com in the Multimedia section.

*multimedia*

WEEKEND OUTLOOK

**FRIDAY, SEPT. 14**
HIGH: 64
LOW: 47

**SATURDAY, SEPT. 15**
HIGH: 64
LOW: 45

**SUNDAY, SEPT. 16**
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>> QuoteOfTheWeek

"Aside from that outburst we had a really good meeting."
—Antioch Village President Dorothy Larson on the Sept. 4 board meeting where Trustee Robert Caulfield was escorted out because he was ruled out-of-order for continuing to discuss the legislative counsel ordinance. PAGE 4A

>> NewsYouNeed

This week's top local stories:
- Lake County Board members OK'd a plan to build a new care center for the elderly. PAGE 3A
- Antioch Village Board gets back to business after a recent disturbance. PAGE 4A
- Mosquito problems should be alleviated by cooler weather. PAGE 4A

>> Editor'sChoice

# New paper, new readers, new potential



Matt Pera

There is a thriving Hispanic community in Lake County.

So it only makes sense that the Lake County Journals, and our parent company NorthWest News Group, would work toward accommodating that growing group in our area.

The goal of our company is to be a total information entity, one that strives to reach and enrich the lives of everyone who resides in our coverage area.

To that end, this week will mark the first in which we distribute our sister newspaper, El Conquistador, a bilingual weekly Hispanic publication, throughout Lake County.

This is an exciting project in that it will allow us to reach and include more people through our stories, photographs and overall reporting of this diverse area of the suburbs.

El Conquistador (or El Con, as it's known for short) will feature pull-out special sections throughout the year, weekly editorial features, and – just like the Lake County Journals – will be packed with tons of great local stories.

Because the Chicago area has the fourth largest Hispanic market in the nation with nearly 2 million people, it only makes sense to offer such a product in Lake County.

El Con has been a part of readers lives in Kane, DeKalb and McHenry counties for 15 years, so we welcome this recognizable commodity to our community.

Starting Sept. 14, 6,000 copies of El Con will hit newsstands all over the county.

And the paper is designed in a way that does not alienate English- or Spanish-speaking people.

All stories and headlines are presented in both languages, making it available for consumption by anyone who wishes to do so.

And we believe a lot of people will be interested in reading El Con.

Take a look when you see it at your local newsstand, or check it out online at www.elconquistadornews.com, then e-mail me at mpera@nwnewsgroup.com with any comments or suggestions.

Thanks for reading the Journals - and El Conquistador – in print and online.

## Dining out with dad

**Quentin Thedford, 10 months old, sits in his dad, Marvin's, lap as he eats corn during the Grayslake Lions Club's 44th annual steer roast at Grayslake Middle School. Also eating with them were his mother, Carmen, and sisters, Jasmine, 11, Olivia, 4, and Avarie, 2.**



Candace H. Johnson-wjnews@nwnewsgroup.com

>>InBrief

### Chain, river open

After 15 days of boating restrictions due to high water, the Chain O' Lakes is open to boating.

The Chain had been no-wake since Aug. 20. The lower section of the Fox River opened Sept. 10.

"There is still a substantial amount of debris in the main navigational areas of the lower river," FWA Director Ingrid Ruttendjie said.

For the latest, check online at www.foxwaterway.org, or call 847-587-8540.

>> CorrectionsAnd Clarifications

Accuracy is important to us at the Lake County Journals and we strive to correct mistakes promptly. If you believe a factual error has been published, please bring it to our attention.

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>>Neighbors



## Joshua Gore of Round Lake

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*Ingleside*

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*Mike (dad), Theresa (mom), Andrew (brother)*

**My pets:**
*Uncle Jessie (beagle-pointer mix)*

**Occupation:**
*Product designer/local business owner*

**I graduated from:**
*Grant High School*

**Hobbies:**
*Coffee, auto racing, engineering*

**Last movie I saw:**
*"Zodiac"*

**Favorite band:**
*Wilco*

**Last book I read:**
*"Ender's Game"*

**Favorite restaurant:**
*The Green Pea Pod*

**Favorite meal:**
*Beef stroganoff and spaetzle*

**If I could have one super power it would be:**
*Whatever Bill Gates has.*

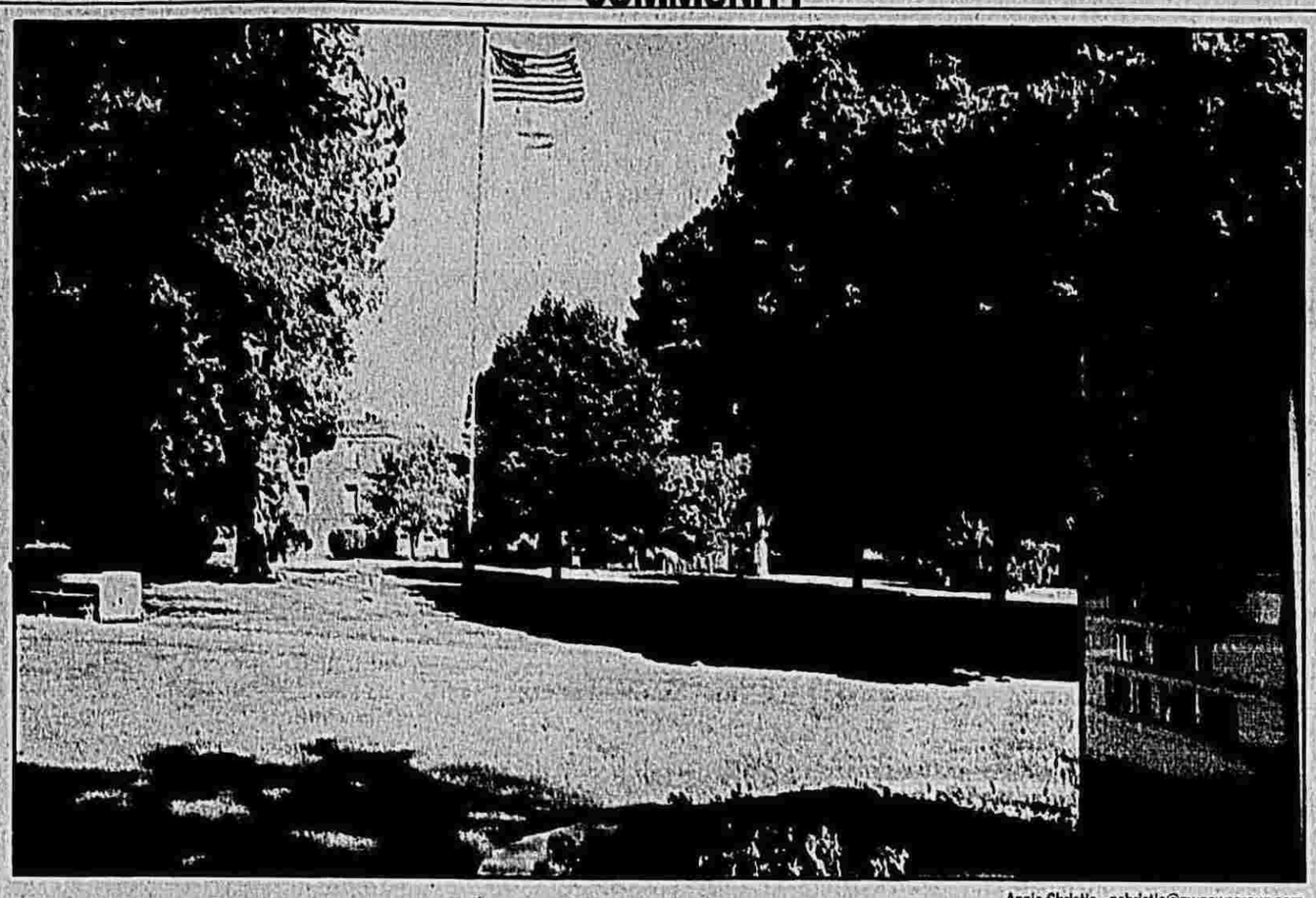
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*Formula 1 driver*

**Dream car:**
*Ferrari*

**My pet peeve:**
*Unnecessary cell phone calls*

**My dream vacation would be:**
*Japan, German and Italy (because of the cars produced in those countries)*

*• If you have a "Neighbor" whom we should profile in this column, call the Lake County Journals at 847-223-8161, or e-mail antioch@weeklyjournals.com or lakevilla@weeklyjournals.com.*



Annie Christie - achristie@nwnewsgroup.com

**A county-run facility, Winchester House at 1125 N. Milwaukee Ave., in Libertyville, has experienced reductions in clients and staff.**

>>Libertyville

# County OKs elder care facility

## New Winchester House to house 175-200 elderly residents

By HELEN MANSFIELD
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LIBERTYVILLE – Jamie Weibeler, director of Lake County's Winchester House, is excited at the prospect of overseeing construction of a new building.

The Lake County Board, which owns and operates the existing long-term health facility in Libertyville, voted Tuesday to approve construction of a new nursing home.

The vote was 22-1. Board member Brent Paxton of District 4, which includes Zion, voted against the measure.

Weibeler has been with Winchester House for more than a year. In 2005, the facility laid off staff because it was 100 residents short of capacity.

"Before I was here, there were 50 layoffs," Weibeler said.

In the last year, Weibeler and the Lake County Board have worked to see what the options were. Consultants decided the facility could close, be renovated or build new.

Carol Calabresa, District 15 board member, which includes Libertyville, said residents and their families have been passionate and persuasive on the issue. After the vote, all the county board members were invited to Winchester House to celebrate.

"The atmosphere was jubilant," Calabresa said.

Weibeler said the Lake County Advisory Board was concerned that a new facility could face the same issues as Winchester House, so the new facility will have 175 to 200 beds.

County Board Chairwoman Suzi Schmidt, District 3, said another concern was building a new facility within the tax levy approved by voters in 1982. They believe a smaller nursing home can be built near Winchester House at 525 S. Winchester Blvd.

"The mission is to keep it going, but not above the [cost of] the levy," Schmidt said.

The county will file a Certificate of Need with the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Board to build the new nursing home, and both Weibeler and Schmidt said it will be at least four years before the new facility is open for business.

Schmidt said Winchester House has fewer residents because more seniors stay longer in their homes with the help of home nurses or family.

"There are more facilities now, more specialized facilities," Schmidt said. "But, we excel in Alzheimer's care."

Weibeler said Winchester House has about 300 employees and would have to staff a new facility according to the residential census.

Weibeler said the County Board has operated a nursing facility since the 1850s.

>> OurTown



**Helen Mansfield**

# Howdy, northerners

Hello everyone out there in newspaperland. I am your new community reporter, Helen Mansfield. I have been with the **Lake County Journals** for a year and a half, covering your neighbors to the south, in the Grayslake and Round Lake Area. You've probably seen my name in the paper in the County and Lakelife sections.

It's sad to see my co-worker Tara Clifton move on, but I want readers to know I am just a phone call or an e-mail away.

I am probably going to be stuck at my desk for another couple of weeks, before I can actually hit the streets of my new "beat," as we call it in the newspaper biz.

On Aug. 21, I had surgery at Condell Medical Center in Libe ville. I underwent an ACL recon ruction and a repair of the medial meniscus on my right knee. I am getting around pretty well, without the aid of a leg brace or crutches, but I still don't have enough flexibility to drive my Mini Cooper.

I hope to meet you folks soon!

The **Antioch Rotary Club** will host its annual Pork Chop Dinner, along with live and silent auctions at 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 6. The event will take place at St. Peter School, 900 St. Peter St., with the auction at 7 p.m.

Bob Schneider, communications director for the Rotary Club, said tickets are $20 in advance, at the door, tickets are $25.

For more information, contact Schneider at 847-395-4444.

*• If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town," e-mail reporter Helen Mansfield at hmansfield@nwnewsgroup.com.*


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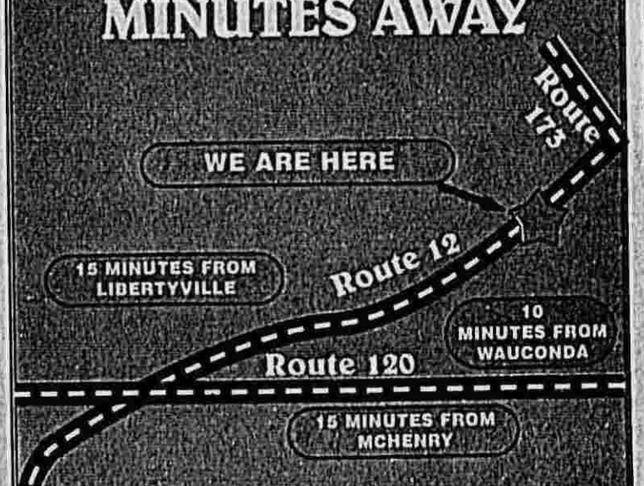
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>> Wauconda

# Local twins join together for a cause

## Area fire station benefits from twins' work

By STEVE PETERSON
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WAUCONDA – Skyler and Spencer Nick, fresh off their annual trip to Twinsburg, Ohio, are turning their attention to local projects.

Twinsburg is a convention of twins that takes place each year. The event is in its 32nd year, and the Nicks have been attending for 13. Their highlights were winning the most identical twin award and learning of a huge donation to the event.

Now, the Wauconda High School sophomores are working on an Eagle Scout project at Wauconda Fire Department's newest station.

"We bought an old house to be used as a new fire station," said Tomm Smithe of Wauconda Fire Department. "They will be painting it, then doing landscape work. We're excited to have them do it."

"I enjoy living in Wauconda," Skyler said. "We are also part of the new Venture Crew of Boy Scouts."

The fire station opened July 1 at Fairfield and Gilmer roads.

> "I enjoy living in Wauconda. We are also part of the new Venture Crew of Boy Scouts."
>
> **Skyler Nick**
> Wauconda resident working toward becoming an Eagle Scout

### Twinsburg fun

"Twinsburg was a blast, especially learning that Bob and John Reece, of Pennslyvania, gave $5 million to keep it going," said Sally Nick, the twins' mom. "I think the twins really enjoy getting together and having fun with the special relationship that twins have."

More than 2,000 sets of twins attended the convention in the town between Akron and Cleveland. The town's name was changed in 1817 from Millsville to Twinsburg.

The Nicks joined the fun at the performance tent, and won the gold medal for most-alike males, their 12th such in that contest.



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Fifteen-year-old Skyler Nick and twin brother, Spencer, work together to power wash the side of the new Wauconda Firehouse No. 3 in Volo. The boys are working toward becoming Eagle Scouts, and three more merit badges will allow them to be a part of that group.

>> Antioch

# Board moves past disturbance

## Antioch addresses phosphorus issue

By JESSICA JACOBSEN
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ANTIOCH – Village President Dorothy Larson is looking to get back to business after a disturbance at the Sept. 4 board meeting.

Trustee Robert Caulfield was escorted out of the meeting by Police Chief James Foerster after Larson ruled him out-of-order for continuing to bring up the legislative counsel ordinance, Larson said.

Larson had vetoed the ordinance at a previous meeting and the time to override the veto had lapsed, she said.

"I was not going to allow it because the village attorney said time elapsed," Larson said about discussing the issue.

Caulfield did not return phone calls by press time.

The trustees approved an ordinance July 16 to established the Office of Legislative Counsel, which would provide trustees with their own attorney. Larson vetoed the ordinance at the Aug. 6 meeting.

Larson said the override could have been brought up at the meeting Aug. 20, but four trustees were absent that day. Those trustees were Caulfield, Larry Hanson, Dennis Crosby and Michael Wolczyz.

"They have every legal right to resubmit their ordinance," Larson said.

Larson and Caulfield had not spoken to each other as of Sept. 7, but she said that is not unusual for them not to speak in between meetings.

And the meeting was not all bad, she added.

"Aside from that outburst, we had a really good meeting," Larson said.

Topics discussed included Antioch partnering with other areas to be a quiet zone on the railroad and banning phosphorus to be used in fertilizers.



Dorothy Larson
Antioch village president

Larson said phosphorus typically is needed for root growth so farmers and new land development could still use the element.

"But for the average homeowner, we don't need it," she said.

If Antioch drafts this legislation, the village would be the first in Illinois, Larson said.

"It's an environmentally responsible thing to do," she said.

With these issues and others, Larson said, she had an important intention for the Sept. 17 board meeting.

"[To] go to our next meeting and behave in the way we were instructed to do," she said.

>> LakeVilla

# With cooler weather, fewer mosquitos

By HELEN MANSFIELD
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LAKE VILLA – The high flood waters that settled around northern Lake County might have receded, but they have left behind some not-so-welcome visitors.

Swarms of mosquitos have been indiscriminately biting residents, and villages are taking different approaches to deal with them.

Antioch Village Administrator Jim Stevens said the village sprays in conjunction with the village of Lake Villa and Lake Villa Township.

All three look to the Lake County Health Department for testing.

Stevens said that, as of a week ago, health department representatives haven't found any culex mosquitos, the ones known to carry West Nile Virus.

Wet weather makes for nice conditions for floodwater mosquitos, which might be annoying, but they don't carry disease, Stevens said.

He said Lake Villa Township usually spearheads larvacide, or spraying young mosquitos, but he doesn't believe there's a plan to do any more spraying this year.

"The brood should have hit its peak last weekend," Stevens said.

With cooler weather trends, Stevens said, mosquitos will eventually die off.

### Avoiding the bite

- Use insect repellent.
- Wear long sleeves, long pants and socks.
- Avoid peak mosquito hours such as dusk to dawn.
- Drain standing water around your home.
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• **Antioch Park Board meeting.** 7 p.m., third Wednesdays. Municipal Building, 874 Main St. For more information, call 847-395-1000.

• **Antioch Community High School Board meeting.** 7:30 p.m., third Thursdays.

• **Bingo.** 12:45 p.m., Mondays. The Senior Center. Call 847-395-0139 for details.

• **Bingo.** 6:45 p.m., Tuesdays. Antioch VFW. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. Call 847-395-5393 for more information.

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• **Lake County Community Health Partnership Immunization Clinic.** 4-6 p.m., third Wednesdays. VFW Post 4551, 75 North Ave. Call 847-377-8470 for details.

• **Take Off Pounds Sensibly meeting.** 6 p.m., Wednesdays, weigh-in, 7 p.m. meeting. The Senior Center, 817 Holbek Dr. Call Dorothy at 847-395-7407 or Betty at 847-838-3907 for more information.

• **Kiwanis Club of Antioch meeting.** Noon, Tuesdays. Petrucci's Italian Market & Cafe, 311 Depot St. The public is welcome to join and share experience, knowledge and service project ideas. Contact Melissa at 847-489-8044, e-mail at mjrigoni@hotmail.com, or Larry Mondie at 847-650-9530, e-mail at brscoops@aol.com for more information.

• **Antioch Township Republican Club meeting.** 7 p.m., third Wednesdays. Antioch Township offices. Call Brent Bluthardt at 847-838-0212 for more information.

• **Antioch Coin Club meeting.** 7:30 p.m., third Mondays. Antioch Library, 757 Main St. Open to the public. Call JoAnne at 847-395-4738 for more information.

• **Lake County Spinner's Guild meeting.** 10 a.m., third Thursdays. Call Chris at (847) 840-6464 for details.

• **Lakes Area Community Band rehearsal.** 7-9 p.m., Mondays. Antioch Community High School band room. Area musicians high school age and older are welcome to join. No auditions. Call Debbie Davis at 847-395-0272 to learn more.

• **Open gym.** 7-9 p.m., Sundays. Antioch Community High School. $2. Adults only.

### CRYSTAL LAKE

• **Crystal Lake Toastmasters Club meeting.** 8-10 a.m., first and third Saturdays at Amcore Bank Building, Rt. 14 and Pingree Rd. Develop your presentation and leadership skills. For information, call Steve at 847-526-1525 or visit http://user.mc.net/~toast1.

### GRAYSLAKE

• **Second City performance.** 8 p.m., Friday, Sept. 14. College of Lake County, Mainstage Theatre of the James Lumber Center, 19351 W. Washington St. Tickets are $16 for the general public and $13 for CLC students, staff and seniors 65 and older. Tickets available at the CLC Box Office, by calling 847-543-2300 or visiting www.clclillinois.edu/tickets.

• **Poetry Slam.** 1-3 p.m. and 7-9 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 19. College of Lake County, Library Atrium, 19351 W. Washington St. For more information, call Michael Latza at 847-543-2956.

### GURNEE

• **Gurnee Jaycees, Gurnee/Lindenhurst chapter, meeting.** 7:30 p.m., third Wednesdays. In-Laws Restaurant, 720 N. Milwaukee Ave. Visit www.gurneejaycees.org or write to Jaycees, P.O. Box 465, Gurnee, IL 60031 for more details.

• **Lake County Gem and Mineral Society meeting.** 7 p.m., third Tuesdays. Warren-Newport Public Library, 224 N. O'Plaine Rd. For more information, call Rachel Schreiner at 847-973-1808.

### INGLESIDE

• **The Shutterbugs photography club meeting.** 7-9 p.m., third Wednesdays. Volo Bog State Natural Area. Ages 16 to adult welcome. Workshops, guest speakers and competitions. Call 815-344-1294 for information.

• **Lake County Astronomical Society meeting.** 8:30-10 p.m., third Fridays. Volo Bog State Natural Area. Meeting followed by a 9:30 p.m. viewing period. For information, call 815-344-1294 or visit www.lcas-astronomy.org.

### LAKE BLUFF

• **11th Annual Antiques on the Green.** 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 15. Village Green, Rt. 176.

### LAKE VILLA

• **Civil War Ball.** 6-11 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 15. $50 per person includes candlelight tour of the Civil War Encampment, dinner, music, dancing and a chance to dine with President and Mrs. Lincoln and/or one of his generals. Tickets available at Lake Villa Village Hall, 65 Cedar Ave., or by mail from Lake Villa Historical Society, P.O. Box 519, Lake Villa, IL 60046.

• **Oktoberfest.** 5 p.m.-midnight, Saturday, Sept. 15. Picnic grounds, 259 W. Grand Ave. Admission is $7. Austrian Express will perform. For more information, visit www.americanaidsociety.com.

• **Oktoberfest.** 5 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 22. Picnic grounds, 259 W. Grand Ave. Entrance tickets are $7. Phenix will perform. For more information, visit www.americanaidsociety.com.

• **Weigh to Win meeting.** 7-8 p.m., Tuesdays. Calvary Christian Center, Monaville Rd. Call 847-356-6181 to learn more.

• **La Leche League of Central Lake County meeting.** 10 a.m., third Wednesdays. Lake Villa United Methodist Church on Sherwood. No fee or registration required to attend. Call any of these group leaders: Karen 847-918-1257, Valerie 847-838-0581 or Chris 847-367-2536.

• **Lake Villa Take Off Pounds Sensibly meeting.** 5:30 p.m., Wednesdays. Church of the Holy Family, 25291 W. Lehman. Call Cathy at 847-587-7710 or Debbie at 847-687-5531 for details.

• **Chain O'Lakes Model A Ford Club meeting.** 7:30 p.m., third Tuesdays. Lake Villa City Park, Fairfield and Grand Avenue.

### LINDENHURST

• **Lindenhurst Lakes Commission meeting.** 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 18. Village Hall Board Room. Call 847-356-8252 for more information.

• **Lindenhurst Planning Commission meeting.** 7 p.m., first and third Wednesdays. Village Hall Board Room, 2301 E. Sand Lake Rd. Call 847-356-8252 to learn more.

• **Free blood pressure screening.** 8 a.m.-noon, Mondays. The Village at Victory Lakes Continuing Care Center. Call 847-356-5900 to learn more.

• **Alzheimer's support group meeting.** 4 p.m., third Wednesdays. Victory Lakes Continuing Care Center, 1055 E. Grand Ave. Call 847-356-5900 to learn more.

• **Lindenhurst/Lakes Area Kiwanis Club meeting.** 7:30-8:30 a.m., first and third Thursdays. State Bank of the Lakes, 2031 E. Grand Ave. For more information, call 847-356-5700.

### MUNDELEIN

• **Sitzmark Ski Club meeting.** 8 p.m., first and third Wednesdays. El Barrio Restaurant, 1122 Diamond Lake Rd. Year-round activities. Call Kevin at (847) 548-2991 or visit www.sitzmarksklclub.com to learn more.

• **Sierra Club of Lake County meeting.** 7 p.m., third Tuesdays. Fremont Township Office, 22376 W. Erhart Rd. For more information, call Evan Craig at 847-680-6437.

• **Wood Carving Club meeting.** 2-5 p.m., first and third Tuesdays. Community Protestant Church, 418 N. Prairie. Call 847-623-2072 for details.

### OLD MILL CREEK

• **Millburn Chapter 570, Order of the Eastern Star Roast Beef Dinner.** 4-7 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 15. Millburn Masonic Temple, Rt. 45 near Grass Lake Road. Tickets are $10 for adults, $6 for children 5-12, and children under 5 free. For more information, call Clarissa Mellen at (847) 244-3698.

• **Lake County Doll Collectors meeting.** 1 p.m., third Saturdays. Millburn Congregational Church, Rt. 45 and Grass Lake Rd. Call 847-623-2072 for details.

### WAUCONDA

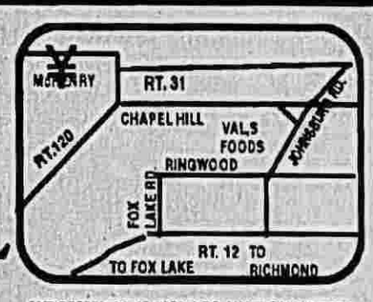
• **Walk for Peace.** 9:30 a.m., Sept. 15. 107 S. Main St. Help create a U.S. Department of Peace. For more information, call Jean Paskalides at 847-487-2477 or visit www.thepeacealliance.org.

### BURLINGTON, WIS.

• **Burlington Genealogical Society meeting.** 7 p.m., third Wednesdays. Burlington Public Library, Pine and Jefferson St. Call Marion at (414) 763-6981 or Merilyn at 414-728-2225 to learn more.

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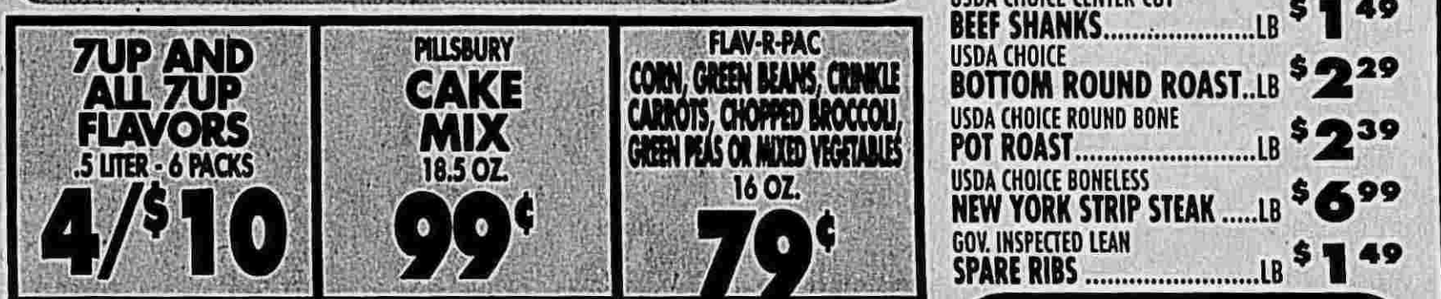
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>> LakeVilla

# A golden first year

## Lakes' literary magazine earns top honors

By HELEN MANSFIELD
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LAKE VILLA – April Kelly, an English teacher at Lakes Community High School, is feeling rather "introspective" lately. She and the students from the 2006-07 literary magazine staff Mosaic, found out recently that they were named gold medalists by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association.

What made the win extra sweet was that last year was the first time the school had published a literary magazine.

Kelly, who has been at Lakes since the school opened four years ago, said the staff received roughly 300 submissions from the students, based on the theme "Introspect."

She said teachers were eligible to make submissions, but none participated.

"We'll try and fix that," Kelly said.

The 17-student staff then went through all the submissions, ultimately accepting written and art submissions from 65 students.

Columbia Scholastic Press prints yearbooks, newspapers, and literary magazines for schools and universities across the country. Kelly said each item is judged by the publisher on an individual basis. Mosaic earned 928 out of 1,000 points, along with All-Columbian Honors for content.

"We scored highest on content, which shows how talented the staff and students are," she said.

The Mosaic staff will start up this year's magazine in January. There are still copies of the 128-page, award-winning magazine for sale. Mosaic is $7 and can be bought by contacting Kelly at akelly@lakeseagles.com.

### Get a copy



**What:** Mosaic, Lakes Community High School's literary magazine
**Cost:** $7
**Contact:** April Kelly by e-mail at akelly@lakeseagles.com

# Home sweet homecoming



Lakes Community High School varsity football player Roger Muench (left), 16, watches the crowd as he rides the varsity football float during the school's homecoming parade. Sitting next to Muench is James Androus, 17.



Esmeralda Mojica and Erin Taylor, both 8, from Lake Villa, watch as candy is thrown from one of the floats during the Lakes Community High School homecoming parade in Lake Villa.



Lakes Community High School cheerleader Natalie Chrapla (right), 16, of Lake Villa, throws candy to the crowd during the homecoming parade in downtown Lake Villa. Lakes will play Grant Sept. 14 for the school's homecoming football game.

Photos by Candace Johnson - wjnews@nwnewsgroup.com

>> Births

**Braden Alexander Barry**, a son, was born June 26 at Lake Forest Hospital to Annemarie and Jeffrey Barry of Lindenhurst. His sister is Liberty, 6.

**Annabelle Marie Makinen**, a daughter, was born June 26 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville to Sara and Joshua Makinen of Trevor, Wis. Grandparents are Robert and Sue Makinen of West Salem, Wis. and Robert and Rachel Schmidt of Benton Harbor, Mich. Great-grandparent is Ginette Rickert of Olympia, Wash.

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**Grab your bowling shoes**

The Mother Son Bowling night will be from 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 16, at Antioch Bowling Lanes. For more information contact the Antioch Parks & Recreation office at 847-395-2160.

**An affair to remember**

The Antioch Library Friends will host a antique appraisal for those who ever wondered if an old knickknack has any value.

The 2007 Antique Appraisal Affair runs from 2 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 7, at the Lakes Region Historical Society Meeting House at 977 Main St. in Antioch. Each person is allowed one item for appraisal. Coffee, tea and pastries will be served.

Cost is $12 a person for Friends members, and $16 for non-members. Seating is limited and registration is required. To register, visit the upstairs reference desk at the Antioch Public Library District or call Amy Blue at 847-395-0874.

**Civil War days**

The fifth annual Lake Villa Civil War Re-enactment and Ball are approaching. The dinner/ball event will be from 6 to 10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 15. The re-enactment is from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 15 and Sunday, Sept. 16. Both events will be at Lehmann Mansion at 485 N. Milwaukee Ave. in Lake Villa. A minimum $5 donation is required for admission. People also can buy a weekend pass for $10, which includes two-day admittance and one mansion tour. Mansion tours are $5.

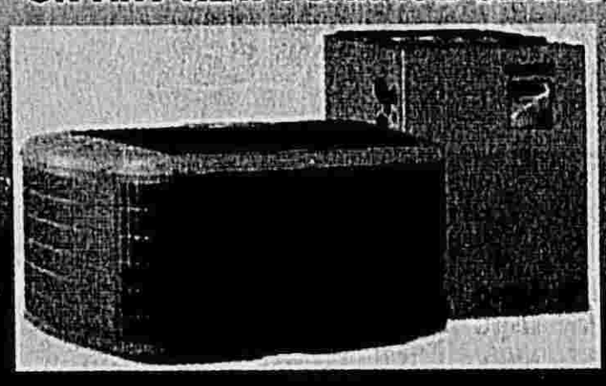
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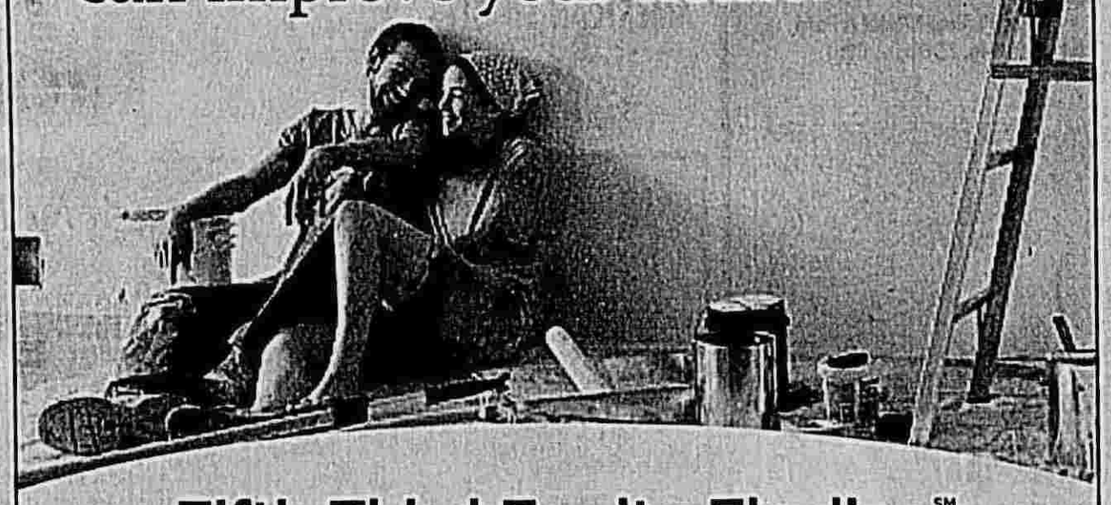
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## Dinner entertainment



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**Sixteen-month-old Evelyn Duval, of Mundelein, watches the the Alpiners perform during the 17th annual St. Matthew Lutheran Church Pig and Corn Roast in Hawthorn Woods. Alpiners members are (left to right) Glen Sorgatz, Peter Reinert, and John Weber.**

## >>PoliceBeat

*People named here have only been charged with these crimes, not convicted. Information in Police Beat comes from local police records.*

### GURNEE

**No valid driver's license**
Carlos D. Rojas, 23, 827 Hickory St., Waukegan, driving without a valid license, failure to secure child, Sept. 9.

**Suspended license**
Serge Angand, 51, 1025 Baldwin Ave., Waukegan, driving with a suspended license, Sept. 9.

Ronald J. Scott, 39, 2805 Gilead Ave., Zion, driving with a suspended license, expired registration, driving on the wrong side of the road, Sept. 7.

Joseph W. Banks, 26, 39786 North Ackworth Lane, Beach Park, driving with a suspended license, Sept. 8.

**Revoked license**
Jose Hernandez, 31, 806 Belvedere St., Waukegan, driving with a revoked license, driving without insurance, Sept. 7.

**In-state warrant**
Benjamin P. Everett, 28, 3300 West Maypole, Chicago, in-state warrant, Sept. 9.

**Domestic battery**
Denver L. Glover, 23, 1709 North Ave., Waukegan, domestic battery, Sept. 8.

**Retail theft**
Anthony G. Vince, 38, 42521 North Linden Lane, Antioch, retail theft, Aug. 30.

### ANTIOCH

**DUI**
Michael E. Lang, 25, 39253 North Petite Court, Lake Villa, driving under the influence, Sept. 5.

Ryan T. Cullen, 22, 2252 Highpoint, Lindenhurst, driving under the influence, Sept. 3.

**Possession**
Terry D. Donegan, 25, 428 Donin Drive, Antioch, unlawful possession of marijuana, Sept. 9.

Benjamin M. Gahart, 21, 1515 Vine Ave., Round Lake, driving under the influence, possession of marijuana and paraphernalia, Aug. 29.

## >> SchoolNotes

### SCHOOL DISTRICT 34

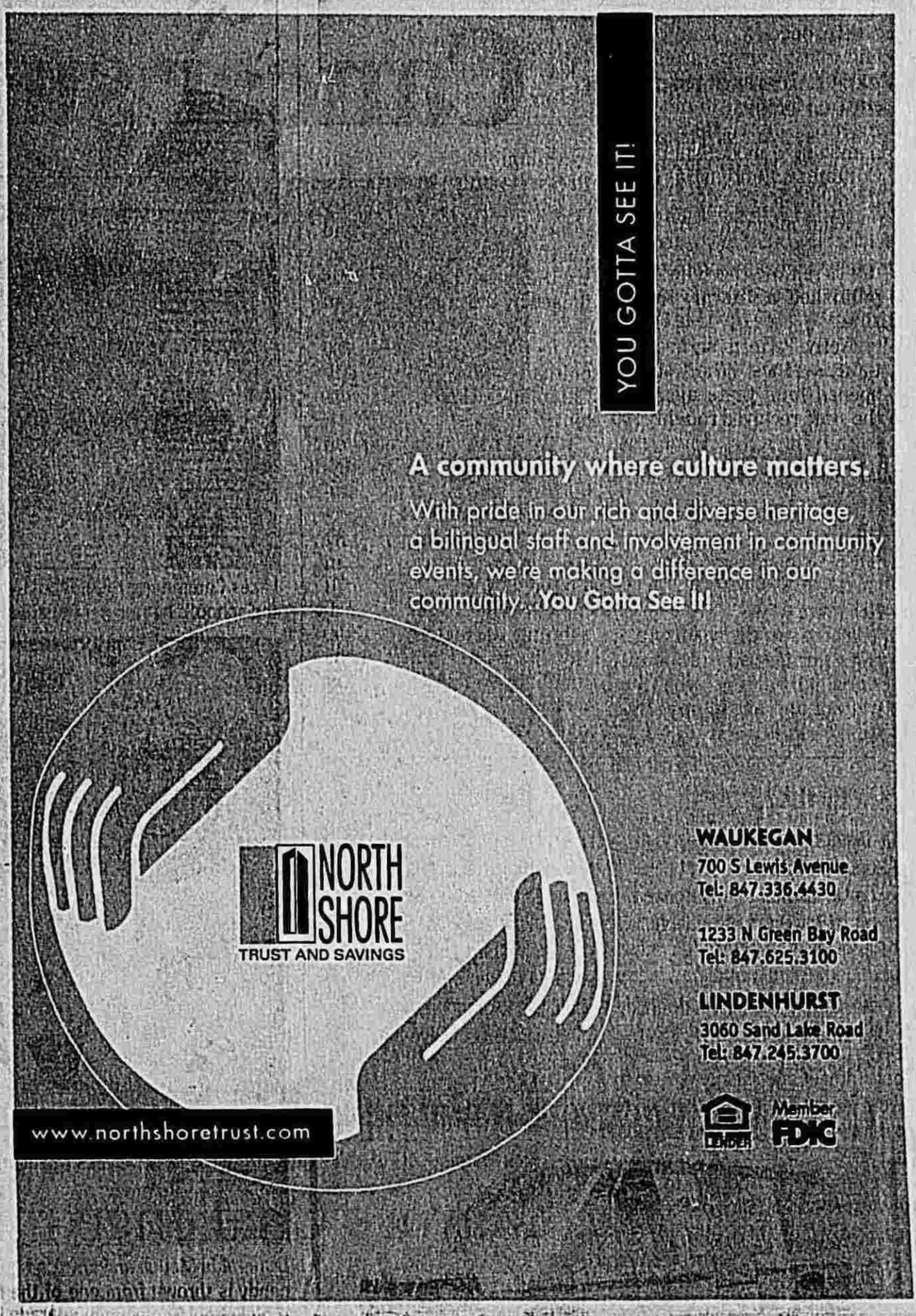
**Vacancy to be filled**
The Antioch District 34 school board is looking for a candidate to fill the unexpired term of Sue Buckley, who was elected in April but is moving with her family to Michigan.

The appointee will serve until the April 2009 election. The position is open to registered voters who are 18 or older in District 34.

Applications are available at Superintendent Scott Thompson's office, or by downloading a copy online at www.antioch34.com.

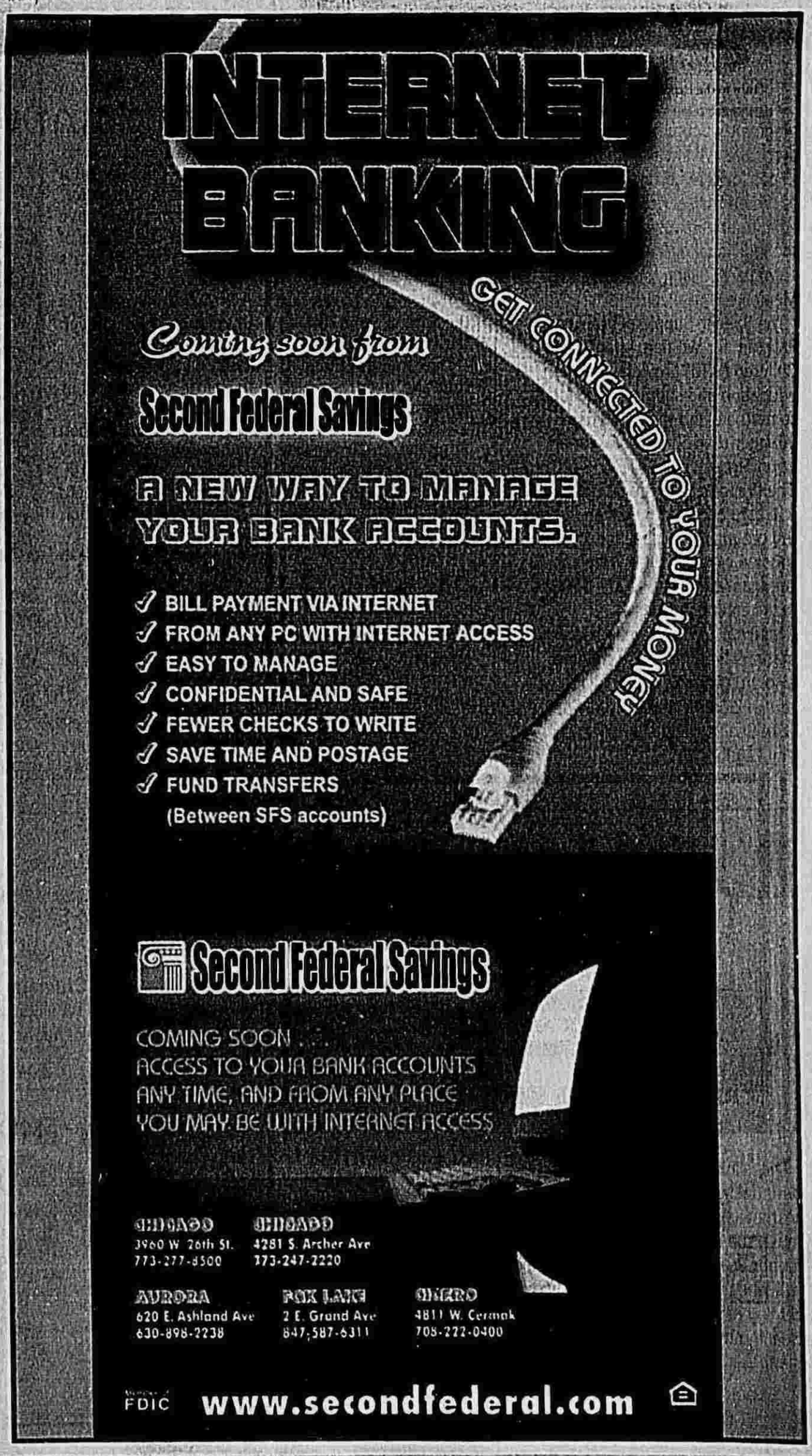
Applications must be filed in the superintendent's office by 4 p.m. Sept. 21. For information, call Thompson's office at 847-838-8401.

**No school**
Antioch District 34 will not have school Sept. 21 because of a Teacher Institute Day.









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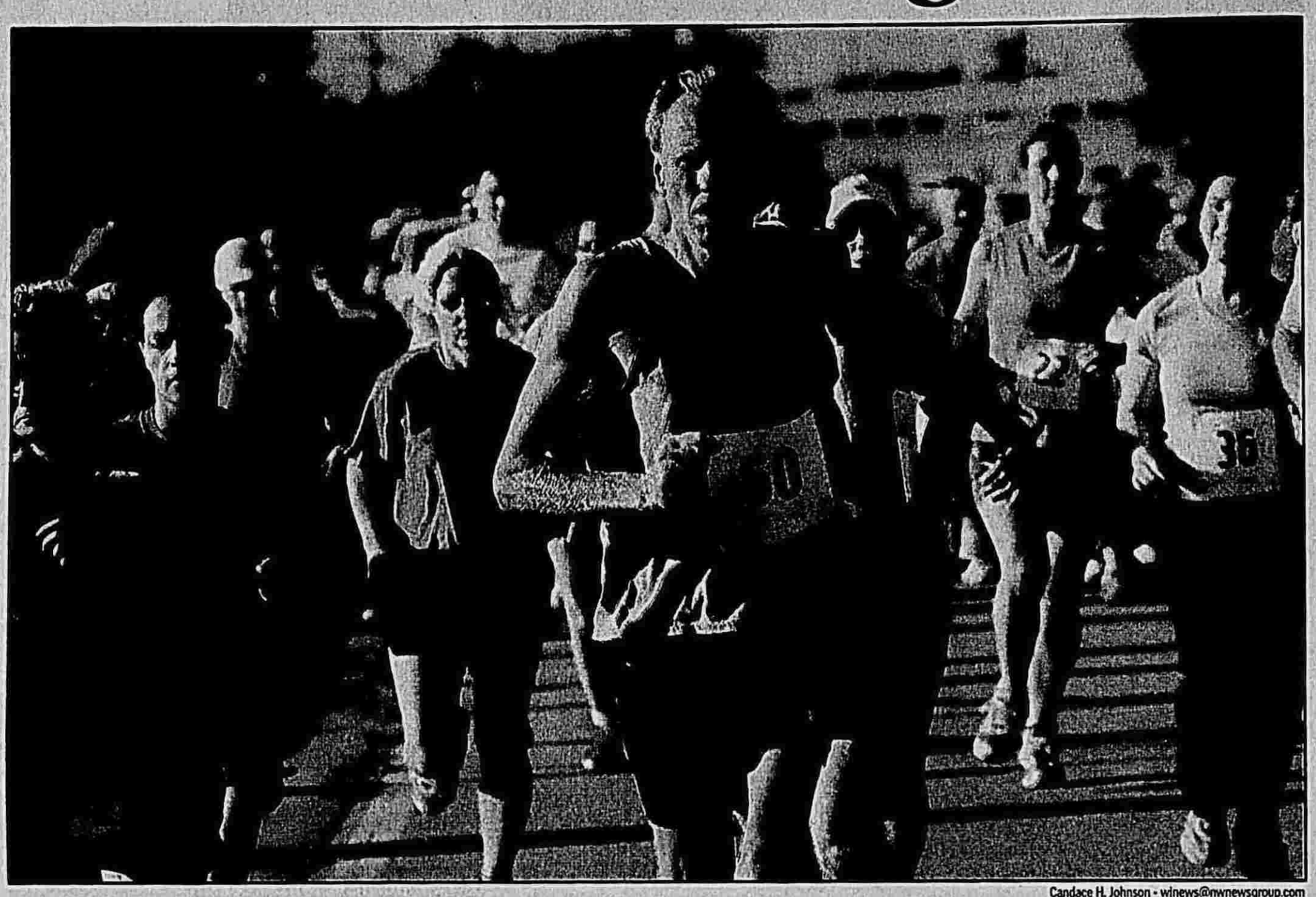
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>> LocalDeaths

**Robert B. Hadley**, 84, Fox Lake
**John Csencsics**, 75, Antioch
**Qingxian Mu**, 61, Vernon Hills
**Isabel M. Ratzke**, 90, Round Lake
**Brian C. Kelly Jr.**, 25, Ingleside
**Lawrence 'Larry' A. Hart**, 54, Fox Lake
**Vera Cuk-Mularz**, 77, Lake Zurich
**Karen P. Steybe**, 47, Vernon Hills

OBITUARIES ON PAGE 11A

# Cancer survivors fight back



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Rick Warning, of Fox Lake, runs in the Fox Lake Mayor's Challenge 5K Run/Walk Sept. 8 on Rollins Road to benefit the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

## Mayor's Challenge raises funds for Komen Foundation

By STEVE PETERSON
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FOX LAKE – Rita Burrian commutes each day from Kenosha, Wis., to her job as a bus driver for Round Lake School District 116.

So she was glad when her boss allowed her to take time off in between bus runs at the office.

"I had chemotherapy, and lost all my hair, but the kids were cool with it," Burrian said. "I was tired when I came back to work, so they set up a sofa for me to lay down for a couple of hours a day."

Burrian said she is the first in her family to have had breast cancer. She also was one of the dozens of breast cancer survivors to be at the Mayor's Challenge events Sept. 8 in Fox Lake.

Marion Erb was at the Fox Lake Bingo Hall for the Sept. 8 event. She is a survivor of colon cancer, but received a clean bill of health last year.

Fox Lake Village President Cindy Irwin said that the event started nine years ago when her daughter, Missy, was diagnosed with cancer.

"She did the research and suggested the Komen Foundation," Irwin said. "We have raised $100,000."

Groups from St. Bede School and Stanton Middle School participated in the 5K run and walk event. Organizers said they had more participation this year than the past.

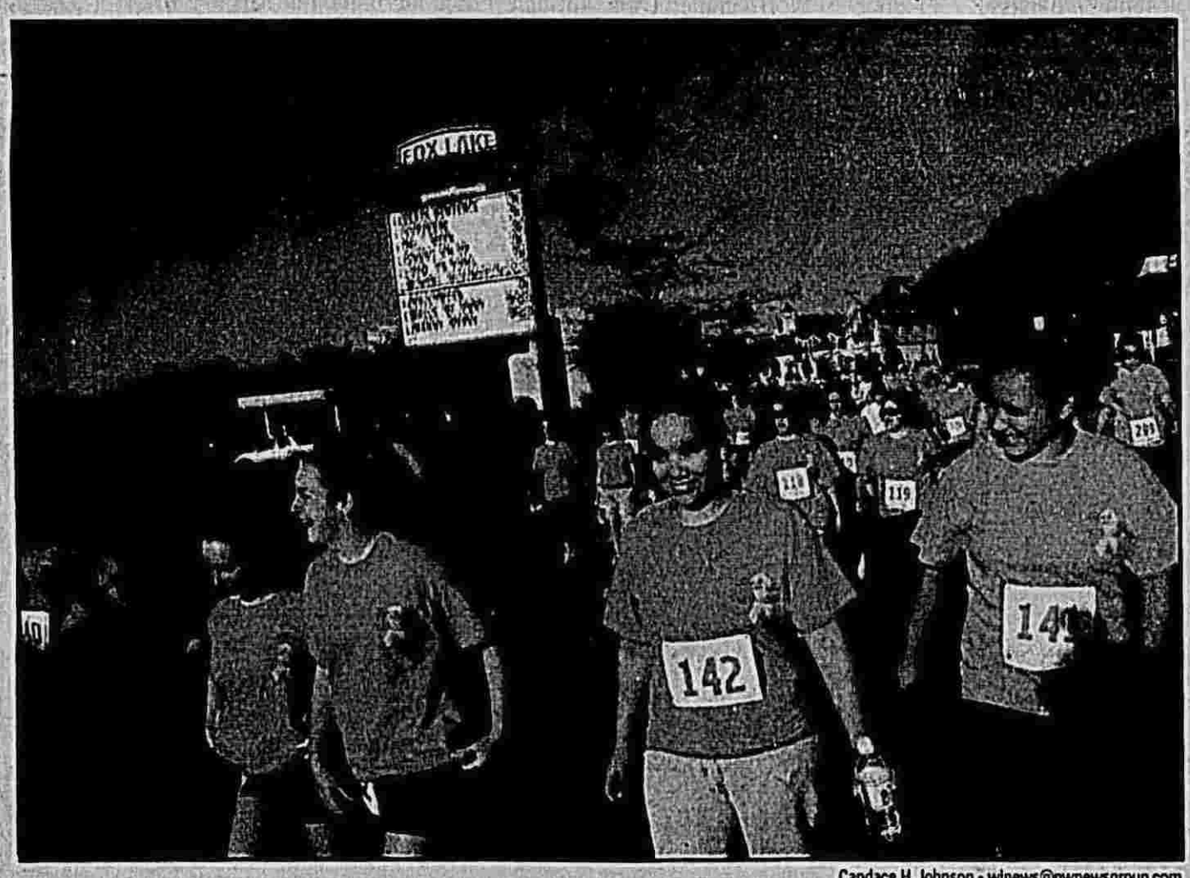
"This is wonderful," Burrian said. "They are so organized."

Dee Frost, who has been involved since the event's rookie year, raised $2,000 in pledges.

"We are running for Kathy Malloy, a secretary at Big Hollow School, who has been a survivor for 10 years," she said. "I work on the pledges for a month."

Diane Nellis, of Fox Lake, also has been involved since the event's first year as a survivor.

"The kids were in kindergarten when I was diagnosed nine years ago," Nellis said.



Candace H. Johnson - wjnews@nwnewsgroup.com

Twenty-one-year-old Laura Ontiveros, of Round Lake Beach, and 18-year-old Alexandra Manon, of Round Lake Park, walk in the Fox Lake Mayor's Challenge 5K Run/Walk.

Katie Hauser, of Ingleside, won the 5K race, in 18 minutes, 42 seconds.

"I had a good pace, plus, this is for a great cause," Hauser said.

American Fitness Center staff provided the warm-up exercise drills. The real winners, though, were future and present breast cancer survivors.

### Coming up

Another cancer fundraiser will take place **Friday, Sept. 14**. It is in memory of Cody Sturges, who lost his battle with cancer in 1999. The event will be at **Fox Lake Country Club** and supports Make-A-Wish Foundation and Children's Memorial Hospital.

>> InBrief

### Peace partners state case for anti-war effort

Two years ago, Jean Paskalides thought the anti-war movement needed more local coordination.

"It started with the death of 2,000 soldiers in 2005. Slowly, people understand that the problem will not change unless people do something," Paskalides, of Lake County Area Peace Partners, said.

Horns were honked as well as other reactions as motorists noticed the handful of sign-carrying protesters at Main Street and Route 176 on Aug. 9. A bigger peace event is planned for Wauconda on Saturday, Sept. 15.

"We're exercising our constitutional rights. My son is in the U.S. Army and has been deployed to Iraq one time and is waiting for another," Marge Haracz said.

The Sept. 15 walk is at 9:30 a.m. at 107 S. Main St. in Wauconda. The purpose of the walk is to increase awareness of a grassroots campaign to create a cabinet-level U.S. Department of Peace and Non-Violence. The bill, in Congress, has 68 sponsors so far.

The Department of Peace would be charged with advising the president on nonviolent solutions to conflict both domestically and internationally, according to a release. Unlike the State Department, the Peace Department would work with non-government agencies or groups to work for conflict prevention and resolution employing cutting edge techniques.

For more information, go to www.thepeacealliance.org or call Jean Paskalides at 847-487-2477.

*-Steve Peterson*

### Low cost healthcare programs available

The Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center offers several programs to pregnant women, mothers and children who live in Lake County.

Fees for services are assessed based on the services needed, with adjustments made depending on the individual or family income. Third party billing for Medicaid or Medicare is available.

The Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) provides nutrition education and supplemental foods to mothers and their children younger than 5 years old. For an appointment, call 847-377-8420. The Prenatal Program offers medical care and health education during pregnancy to qualified low-income women. Those who are pregnant can call 847-377-8400 to make an appointment.

Medical care and well-child examinations for infants and children also are available at the health centers in Zion, North Chicago, Round Lake Beach, Highland Park and Waukegan.

*-Local reports*

## INSIDE LAKE COUNTY



**John S. Matijevich**

>> SeeingItThrough

The Waukegan Harbor needs to be de-industrialized, columnist John Matijevich says. Even though this is a must, the city's plans to make the harbor 30-feet deep to make it happen will hinder the process instead of helping it. The cost-benefit ratio of cleaning up the harbor and loss of jobs is another thing to consider.

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Gov. Rod Blagojevich signs State Sen. Susan Garrett's bill that addresses underage drinking and parents' responsibilities. The Lake Forest-based senator's bill carries a felony charge if bodily harm occurs when parents are aware that alcohol is being served in their home.

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U.S. District Judge Victor Marrero rules Patriot Act went too far.

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## What a character



Annie Christie - achristie@nwnewsgroup.com

Raymond Ellis Elementary School Principal Bill Pritchard reads to students. The assembly also addressed the Character Counts program.

>> Wauconda

# Residents can get 'Hooked' before its too late

## Fishing exhibit nears close

By STEVE PETERSON
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WAUCONDA – Time is running out to see a display of Dan Basore's legendary fishing collection at "Hooked! The History and Ingenuity of Sport Fishing," at the Lake County Discovery Museum near Wauconda.

This special exhibition features historical fishing items from early indigenous cultures to the modern day and closes on Sept. 23.

Items on display include antique lures, reels, rods, knives, hooks, advertisements, brochures, and many other items from Basore's extensive collection.

More than 400 additional lures have been added to the exhibit this summer, including one of the rarest Heddon lures in existence, the "Big O."

"A lot of people have liked it," said Steve Furnett,exhibits manager at Lake County Forest Preserve's Discovery Museum. "Folks come in who are fishermen, who have just fished our ponds. It's outstanding."

Some of the items on display date back thousands of years.

The display also includes a mock mid-20th-century small town bait shop.

"It shows that you can spend hundreds of dollars to fish, or just $6," Furnett said.

### If you go

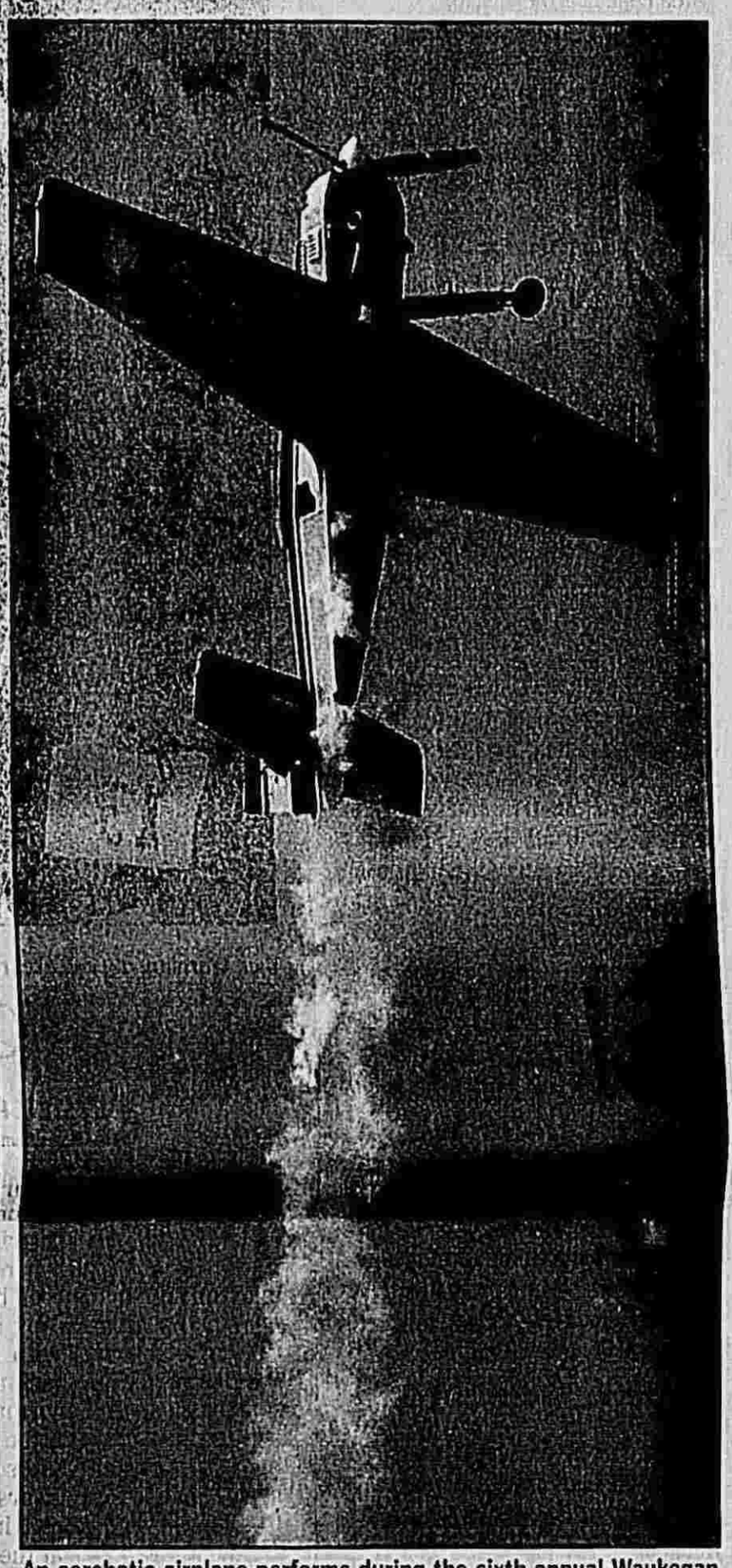
The **Lake County Discovery Museum** is on Route 176 in Lakewood Forest Preserve. Gallery hours are from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m Monday through Saturday, and from 1 to 4:30 p.m. on Sundays.

Admission is $6 for adults and $2.50 for children ages 4 to 17. Children ages 3 and younger are admitted free.

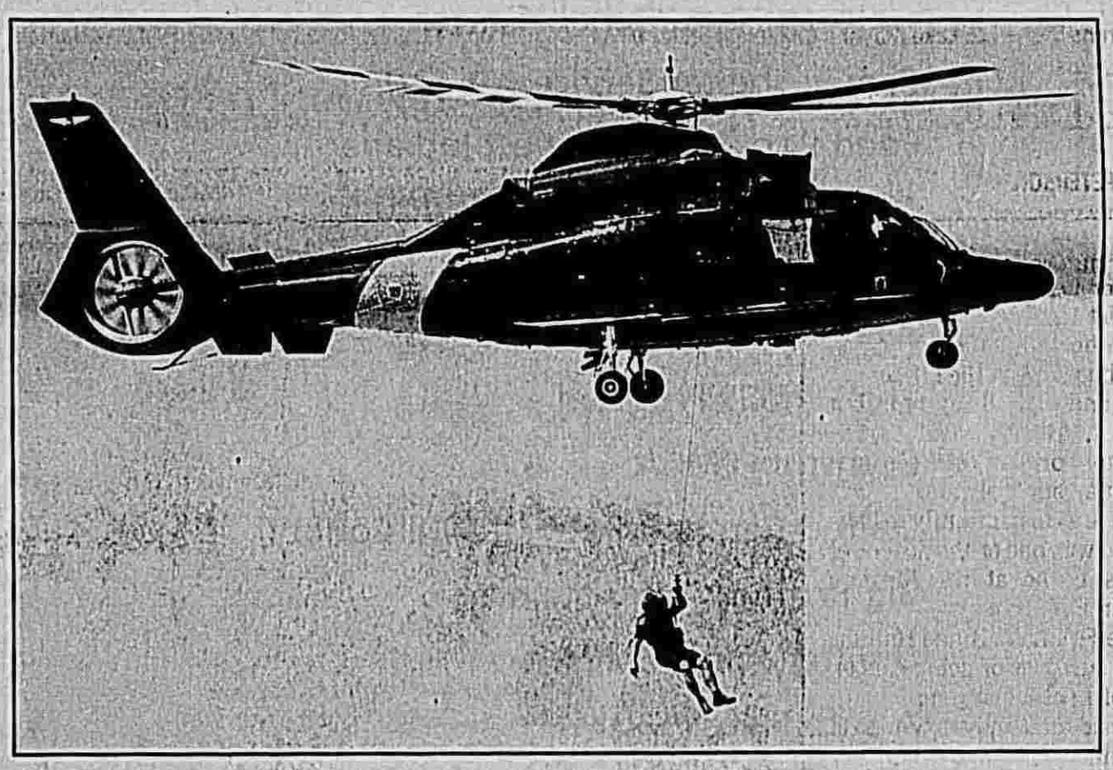
# Waukegan Air Show showcase



T-28 Trojan Horsemen perform in the skies of Waukegan during the sixth annual Waukegan Air show at Waukegan Regional Airport. The Waukegan Air Show is Lake County's largest free air show. This year's profits will benefit the Boys and Girls Club of Lake County.



An aerobatic airplane performs during the sixth annual Waukegan Air Show at Waukegan Regional Airport.



The U.S. Coast Guard perform a mock rescue during the sixth annual Waukegan Air Show at the Waukegan Regional Airport. Pictured pilots are Lt. Joan Snaith, Lt. j.g. Jeremy Loeb. Also pictured are light mechanic Petty Officer Harrison Hirsh, and rescue swimmer Petty Officer Chris Bemis.

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# Dog fighting hits close to home

## Authorities hope to break abuse cycle

By JESSICA JACOBSEN
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When people discuss the NFL football season, which began last weekend, Atlanta Falcons quarterback Michael Vick's legal troubles tend to pop up. Vick's recent criminal plea to dog fighting charges has opened people's eyes.

"The people who do this, they're breaking all laws," said Stephanie Gordon, Lake County Animal Control officer.

Near the time that Vick was linked to a dog-fighting operation, a Beach Park man also was charged with dog fighting.

Animal control took the initial phone call that alerted authorities, Gordon said.

Anthony L. Brown, 24, was charged with aggravated cruelty to animals, dog fighting, unlawful possession of a weapon by a felon, being an armed habitual criminal and unlawful possession of a controlled substance (cocaine), said prosecuting attorney Rod Darobinski.

There were 16 dogs found, Gordon said, and 10 had to be euthanized.

Dog-fighting incidents can affect a community, Gordon said.

"Abuse is abuse," she said. "It's a vicious cycle."

Two of those "cycles," Gordon said, are that children can see this abuse and think it is OK. Also there is the possibility that abuse could be directed toward people.

### Where to call

If you suspect animal abuse is taking place, call **Lake County Animal Control** at 847-949-9925.

### What to look for

Even though putting a stop to a dog-fighting operation should be left up to the authorities, Gordon said, there are warning signs that people can look for and let animal control know about their suspicions.

"We would just investigate and see where we were at with that," she said.

The warning signs include high traffic to a home, moving dogs in and out – especially if crated separately, permanent covers over windows and sometimes a strong odor.

A permanent cover over windows could be anything from piled wood to sheets.

### The aftermath

When it comes to dog-fighting operations, another aspect authorities deal with is what to do with the dogs that aren't euthanized.

"They're going to need to have a lot of work," Gordon said about surviving dogs.

These dogs, Gordon said, tend to have been antagonized and had bad behavior encouraged.

"I don't know that you could trust a dog," she said.

But it is not impossible for dogs to change this behavior, some even are rehabilitated enough that they can be adopted, Gordon said.

>> Grayslake

# Open space tax benefit deadline approaches

LAKE COUNTY JOURNALS

GRAYSLAKE – The deadline for interested Lake County landowners to contact the Liberty Prairie Conservancy about soon-to-expire tax incentives for conservation easements is approaching. These conservation easements would preserve farmland, natural areas and other open space. The filing deadline is Friday, Sept. 28.

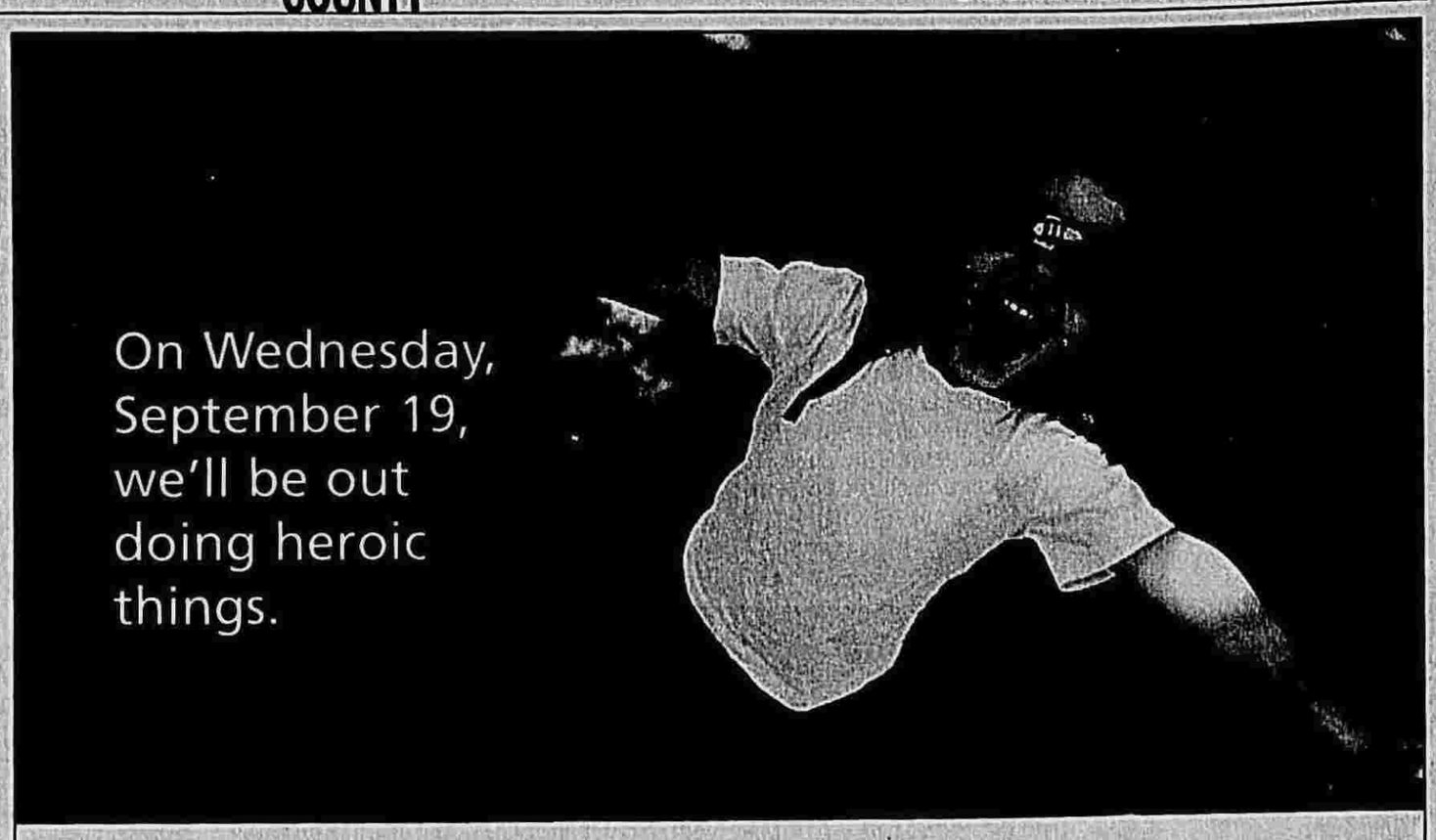
Without further action by Congress, the temporary tax incentives revert to significantly lower rates after Dec. 31. The Sept. 28 deadline is needed to ensure sufficient time for processing of all requests.

For more information call 847-548-5989, ext. 31 or visit www.libertyprairie.org.








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## ROBERT B. HADLEY

**Born:** June 3, 1923
**Died:** Aug. 31, 2007
*He enjoyed fishing and traveling*

FOX LAKE – Robert B. Hadley, age 84 of Fox Lake, passed away Friday, Aug. 31, 2007, at Northern Illinois Medical Center in McHenry. He was born June 3, 1923, in Berwyn to Allan and Ruby (nee Ackermann) Hadley. He was a machinist and quality control inspector for Chershire/Xerox Corp. in Mundelein for 23 years. Robert was a Veteran of WWII having served in the U.S. Army in the European Theater in France. He was a longtime member of the Antioch Moose Lodge. He enjoyed fishing and traveling and had traveled all of the United States with his wife and family.

He will be fondly missed by his wife, Rosemarie Dixon Hadley, with whom he was united to in marriage on May 27, 1950, in Glen Ellyn; his children, James (Cecilia) Hadley of Zion, Joy Hadley of Fox Lake and Kay Bren of Waukegan; his grandson, Jeffery Grzonka of Fox Lake; granddaughters, Angela Whenert of Washington State and Jessica Hadley of Zion; and by two great granddaughters, Ashley and Genevieve; and by his sister, Muriel Bartlett of Elmhurst. He was preceded in death by his parents; by a brother, Richard in 2000, and a sister, Grace.

Visitations was from 5 to 8 p.m., on Sept. 4, at K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home in Fox Lake. All met on Sept. 5 at 1:30 p.m., at Mt. Emblem Cemetery Chapel, in Elmhurst, for a committal service and burial. Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

## QINGXIAN MU

**Born:** Feb. 25, 1946
**Died:** Sept. 3, 2007
*Was a college graduate and high school teacher in China*

VERNON HILLS – Qingxian Mu, age 61 of Vernon Hills, passed away Monday, Sept. 3, 2007, at his home. He was born Feb. 25, 1946, in China, where he was a college graduate and became a high school teacher. Mr. Mu and his wife came to visit their new grandson, when he became ill and had to stay in the U.S.

Surviving are his wife, Chunmei Van of Vernon Hills; and daughter, Carolyn Mu (Gang Zhou) and grandson, Jeremiah Zhou all of Deerfield.

Visitation was from 5 p.m. until the time of services at 7 p.m. on Sept. 6 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

## JOHN CSENCSICS

**Born:** Feb. 10, 1932
**Died:** Sept. 3, 2007
*Enjoyed all sports, especially soccer*

ANTIOCH – John Csencsics, age 75 of Antioch, passed away Monday, Sept. 3, 2007, at his home. He was born Feb. 10, 1932, in Schandorf, Burgenland, Austria, the son of the late Ferdinand and Anna (Geischnek) Csencsics. He came from Austria to Canada in 1956, moving to Chicago in 1959 and to Norridge for 37 years. In 1989, John retired as a painter from O'Hara Decorating in Chicago after many years. John was a member of the Painters Union Local 147 of Chicago, a hard worker, and enjoyed all sports, especially soccer. John was happiest when surrounded by his family and was affectionately known as "Ota." On Jan. 9, 1960 he married Magdalena Lehmann in Chicago.

Survivors include his wife of 47 years, Magdalena; his daughters, Rose Rayner of Antioch and Erika (Dave) Burns of Marengo; his grandchildren; his great-grandchildren; his siblings. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother.

The funeral with Mass of Christian Burial was at 11 a.m., Sept. 7, at St. Peter Church, Antioch with interment following in Hillside Cemetery, Antioch. Visitation was Sept. 6, from 4 to 8 p.m., at Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Those desiring may make contributions to a family memorial in his memory. Please sign the guest book for John at www.strangfh.com. Please also sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

## ISABEL M. RATZKE

**Born:** Feb. 5, 1917
**Died:** Sept. 3, 2007
*Previously of Omaha, Neb., moved to Round Lake Beach*

ROUND LAKE – Isabel M. Ratzke, age 90, died Monday, Sept. 3, 2007, at Hillcrest Nursing Center in Round Lake Beach. She was born Feb. 5, 1917 in Indiana to William and Albertina Cox.

Survivors include her three children, Clarence (Alvida) Ratzke of Round Lake Beach, Kathy McCastle of Crete, and Tina (Hartmut) Enderle of Blaubeuren, Germany; 11 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Charles Ratzke in 1990; and her parents.

Visitation was from 9 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral service on Sept. 6, at Justen's Round Lake Funeral Home, Round Lake. The Rev. Lisle Kauffman officiated. Interment was at Clarendon Hills Cemetery. Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

## BRIAN C. KELLY JR.

**Born:** Nov. 5, 1981
**Died:** Sept. 3, 2007
*Had a great sense of humor, loved gardening and was very creative*

INGLESIDE – Brian C. Kelly, Jr., age 25 of Ingleside, died Monday, Sept. 3, 2007 at Vista Medical Center East in Waukegan. He was born Nov. 5, 1981 in Waukegan to Brian and Connie Kelly. Brian loved to cook and spend time with his dog Aries and cat Peanut Butter. He had a great sense of humor, loved gardening, and was very creative.

Survivors include his aforementioned parents; his fiancée Kathy Bailey; his grandparents Pat and James Starrett; his siblings, Christina (Jose) Gil and Merle Kelly; his niece, Monica Gil; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his grandparents Mary and Merle Kelly.

A memorial service was at 6 p.m., on Sept. 8 at Strang Funeral Chapel & Crematorium, in Grayslake. Friends of the family visited from 4 p.m. until the time of the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the family of Brian Kelly, Jr. Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

## LAWRENCE 'LARRY' A. HART

**Born:** Aug. 31, 1953
**Died:** Sept. 8, 2007
*Enjoyed golfing, softball, billiards, playing cards*

FOX LAKE – Lawrence "Larry" A. Hart, age 54 of Fox Lake, passed away Saturday, Sept. 8, 2007 at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was born Aug. 31, 1953 in Chicago, the son of the late Lawrence E. and Delores G. (Waitas) Hart. Larry was a proud member of Sheet Metal Workers Union Local 73 of Chicago for more than 20 years. On March 12, 1996, he married Venesa Dessart (nee Lawrence) in Las Vegas, Nev.

Survivors include, his devoted wife, Venesa; five children, Sandra M. Hart and Lawrence E. Hart both of Chicago, Lenard R. (Jill) Hart of Twin Lakes, Wis., Brieann T. (Phil) Ard of Fox Lake, and Eric J. (Kimberly) Dessart of Fox Lake; a grandson; his siblings; and many nieces, nephews and friends who will miss him greatly. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by a brother.

The funeral was at 7 p.m., on Sept. 12, at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch. Interment was private. Visitation was from 3 p.m., until the time of services, Sept. 12. Please sign the Guestbook for Larry at www.strangfh.com. Please also sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

## VERA CUK-MULARZ M.D.

**Born:** Nov. 29, 1929
**Died:** Sept. 7, 2007
*Was employed as a doctor at the VA Hospital in Battle Creek, Mich.*

LAKE ZURICH – Vera Cuk-Mularz, M.D. age 77, of Lake Zurich, passed away suddenly, Friday, Sept. 7, 2007 at Sherman Hospital in Elgin. She was born Nov. 29, 1929 in Yugoslavia. Vera was a graduate of the University of Belgrade Medical School and before her retirement was employed as a doctor at the V.A. Hospital in Battle Creek, Mich.

Surviving are her son, Robert (Christie) Mularz of Lake Zurich; two grandchildren; her sister; a niece; and nephew. She was preceded in death by her parents. Bogdan and Marija Cuk, and by her husband Stanf-slaw Mularz.

Visitation was from noon until the time of services at 1 p.m., on Sept. 10, at St. Sava Serbian Orthodox Monastery in Libertyville. Entombment was at Resurrection Cemetery in Justice. Arrangements were handled by the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

## GENEVIEVE L. SEIDLER

**Born:** Sept. 7, 1921
**Died:** Sept. 8, 2007
*Was an active volunteer and did fundraising for the Oakton Community College*

VERNON HILLS—Genevieve L. Seidler, age 86, of Vernon Hills, passed away Saturday, Sept. 8, 2007 at the Condell Medical Center in Libertyville.

She was born Sept. 7, 1921 in Minneapolis, Minn,

Genevieve was an active volunteer and did fundraising for the Oakton Community College in Des Flaines.

Surviving are three children, Barbara (Christopher) Hentz of Baton Rouge, La., Linda Seidler of Gurnee and Greg Seidler of Libertyville; two grandchildren; and two sisters.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford Seidler in 1987, and by her sister, Bonnie Tyler.

The funeral was at 11 a.m., Sept. 11 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Interment followed at Ridgewood Cemetery in Des Plaines.

Memorial contributions can be made to either the Clifford D. Seidler Scholarship Fund at Oakton Community College or the Arthritis Foundation, in her memory.

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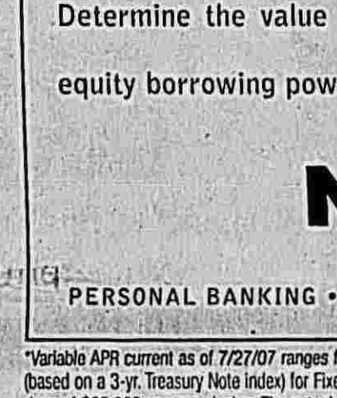
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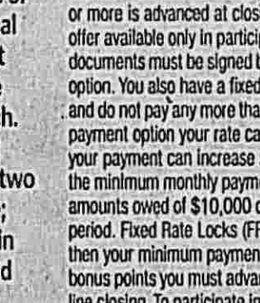



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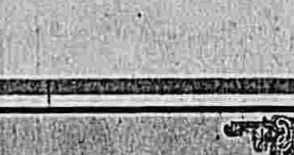
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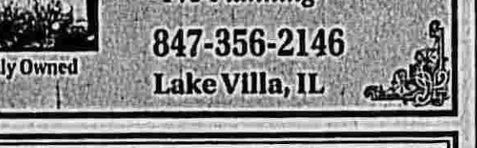
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### MARVIN A. SCHWENN

**Born:** Jan 27, 1920
**Died:** Sept. 8, 2007
*Served in the U.S. Army during WWII*

BRISTOL, WIS. – Marvin A. Schwenn, age 87 of Bristol, Wis., passed away Saturday, Sept. 8, 2007, at his home. He was born Jan. 27, 1920, in Kenosha, Wis., the son of the late Theodore M. and Gladys (Snell) Schwenn. He served in the U.S. Army during WWII. Marvin had worked as a Waste Water Treatment Man Grade 4 Operator at Rainbow Lakes Manor in Bristol. On Dec. 19, 1942, he married Vesta Ryman in Kenosha, Wis.



Survivors include his wife of 64 years, Vesta; six children, Christine Hanson of Long Beach, Calif., Deacon Charles (Carol) Schwenn of Mountainair, N.M., Thomas (Irma) Schwenn of Paddock Lake, Wis., Mary and Nancy Schwenn, both of Bristol, Wis., and David Schwenn Sr. of Rochester, Minn.; 13 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, a grandson, a great-grandson, and a nephew.

Funeral services with Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 15, 2007, at St. Peter Church, 557 Lake St., Antioch. Interment will follow in St. Scholastica Cemetery, Bristol, Wis. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m., Friday, Sept. 14, at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch, 1055 Main St. (Route 83). In lieu of flowers, contributions to a family memorial will be appreciated. Please sign the guestbook for Marvin at www.strangfh.com Please also sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

### KAREN P. STEYBE

**Born:** April 8, 1960
**Died:** Sept. 7, 2007
*Was a catechist teacher and bereavement minister*

VERNON HILLS – Karen P. Steybe, age 47, of Vernon Hills, passed away suddenly Friday, Sept. 7, 2007, at her home. She was born April 8, 1960, in Chicago. She was a 1978 graduate of Arlington Heights High School, and a 1982 graduate of Purdue University, where she was a member of the Alpha Delta Pi Alumni Association. She was a former manager for Sears-Allstate in Northbrook. Karen also was employed as a systems analyst for Anderson Consulting-Accenture in Northbrook.

Surviving are her husband Jeffrey Steyb; and children, Ann Elizabeth and Eric Andrew Steybe, all of Vernon Hills; her parents, Erwin and Marcie Page of Lake Forest.

Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11 a.m., on Sept. 12 at St. Mary of Vernon Church, in Indian Creek. Interment followed at Ascension Cemetery. Visitation was from 3 to 8 p.m., Sept. 11 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral home in Libertyville and for one hour prior to mass at church. Memorial contributions can be made to the Lupus Foundation. Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

### MARK ALBERT FRANCIS ERICSON

**Died:** Aug. 19, 2007
*An accomplished water-skier, hang glider and sky diver.*

SAN DIEGO, CALIF. – Mark Albert Francis Ericson, age 50, formerly of Lake Catherine (Felter's Subdivision), Antioch, passed away on Aug. 19, 2007, in San Diego, Calif. Mark graduated from Antioch Community High School in 1975 and had attended College of Lake County in Grayslake. Mark was known as a "daredevil" to all. An accomplished water-skier, hang glider, and sky diver, he made over 200 jumps, one landing directly on the deck of Blarney's Island.

He is survived by his parents Edwin "Swede" and Sally Ericson, now of Palm Harbor, Fla., his brother, Matthew Ericson of Twin Lakes, Wis.; and his sister, Maria (nee Ericson) Szymanski of Spring Hill, Fla. Also by nieces, and a nephew.

A memorial service will be at 1 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 15, at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch, 1055 Main St. (Route 83). Interment will follow in Hillside Cemetery, Antioch. Please sign the guestbook at www.strangfh.com. Please also sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

### THOMAS L. FOGEL

**Born:** Aug. 28, 1945
**Died:** Sept. 8, 2007
*Served in the U.S. Army during Vietnam*

LINDENHURST – Thomas L. Fogel, age 61 of Lindenhurst, passed away Saturday, Sept. 8, 2007, at Condell Medical Center, Libertyville.

He was born Aug. 28, 1946, in Champaign, the son of the Melvin and Marie (Herdeen) Fogel. Thomas was a member of The Chapel, Grayslake; and had served in the U.S. Army during Vietnam.



Thomas was a Regional Service Manager for several different corporations including RCA.

He was the president of Waukegan Avionics Inc., a partner in a family business-Models Plus Inc. in Grayslake, and was currently the police commissioner in Lindenhurst. Thomas' interests included golf, working on his '55 Ford truck, and riding his Harley Davidson motorcycle. On Aug. 5, 1966, Thomas married Mary Hinton in Bement.

Survivors include his wife of 41 years, Mary; two sons, Jared (Dominique) and Jeffrey (Debbie) both of Antioch; his mother, Marie Fogel of Monticello; four grandchildren; and two sisters.

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## Patriot Act went too far

Several provisions of the Patriot Act that allowed the FBI to demand information from companies such as Internet service providers, has been ruled unconstitutional. The ruling is a victory for anyone who believes in personal liberty, privacy and the Bill of Rights.

U.S. District Judge Victor Marrero's ruling dealt with provisions of the Patriot Act that allowed the FBI to demand information without a warrant through national security letters. People who received such letters were barred from publicly revealing that they had gotten them.

The letters would be sent to companies such as Internet service providers, telephone companies and public libraries demanding information on customers. The lawsuit was filed by the American Civil Liberties Union on behalf of a "John Doe," who received one of the letters.

In his 106-page ruling, Marrero said, that the letter "offends the fundamental constitutional principles of checks and balances and separation of powers."

There was a time in America when the government had to have a good reason to go snooping around in someone's business. In the hysteria of the aftermath of Sept. 11, sweeping broad powers were granted to the federal government that in retrospect went too far.

Although national security letters had been used in the past, the Patriot Act broadened its power and use. In 2005, 19,000 such letters were sent asking for 47,000 pieces of information, the Washington Post reported.

Law-abiding American citizens should not be subject to arbitrary information dragnets and data mining operations. Regardless of how noble the initial reason to be begin such a sweep, the long-term implications of such programs is sinister.

It is time for this nation to move past the notion that judicial oversight and due process somehow is an inconvenience that should be legislated away, or in some cases, altogether ignored. It is time to return to our principles, respect the Constitution and respect the rights of individuals.

>> PartyLines

## Governor signs Garrett's underage drinking bill

At the beginning of the first holiday weekend of the 2007-08 school year, Gov. Rod Blagojevich signed SB 158, a bill that addresses underage drinking and parents' responsibilities.

This bill sponsored by State Sen. Susan Garrett, D-Lake Forest, provides that it is unlawful for parents to knowingly authorize, enable, or permit underage drinkers to have access to either their residence or liquor kept in the residence.

The current law states that if parents allow underage drinking, the parents can be charged with a Class A misdemeanor. Garrett's bill, SB 158, adds a new provision that carries a felony charge if bodily harm occurs when parents are aware that alcohol is being served in their home.



Susan Garrett
Senator from Vernon Hills

"I am pleased that the governor signed this critical legislation at the beginning of Labor Day weekend." Garrett said.

According to Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), Labor Day holiday weekend has been among the most deadly for alcohol-related traffic deaths in recent years. Additionally, statistics from the National Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) show Labor Day weekend as a very deadly holiday for alcohol-related deaths.

While this bill's intention is to deter parents from serving underage teens in their homes, it also seems to suggest that Illinois intends to be vigilant when it comes to drinking and driving.

"I hope this law will be another milestone to ensure cooperation between parents, teens and law enforcement when it comes to underage drinking. Our goal is to keep our communities stronger, our parents more involved and our teens safer," Garrett said.

**Storm aid**

Low-interest loans are available to storm victims in Cook, DeKalb, DuPage, Kane, Lake and McHenry counties, Illinois State Treasurer Alexi Giannoulias said.

Under the Opportunity Illinois Disaster Loan program, the Treasurer's Office provides low-interest bridge loans to people whose property has sustained weather-related damage. The loans are available to residents living in declared disaster areas who are waiting for insurance settlements or other aid programs to take effect.

To receive the low-interest rate, residents must secure the loan at a bank or financial institution that participates in the state's linked deposit program. They may secure a loan up to the damage amount. The Opportunity Illinois loan application must be filed by the bank on the resident's behalf within 90 days of a local, state or federal official's natural disaster declaration.

"Our low-interest loan program helps storm victims with the upfront costs of repairs so they can get their lives back on track faster," Giannoulias said.

For more information on applying for a loan, finding a participating financial institution, or becoming a participating financial institution, call Opportunity Illinois at 312-814-1244 or e-mail opportunity-illinois@treasurer.state.il.us.

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"What do you like best about fall?"



"Perfect hoodie weather."

Mike Wendricks
Wadsworth



"My birthday."

Sanya Mangova
Waukegan



"It's not so hot and the holidays are coming up."

Shawn Levander
Chicago



"The colors and the weather."

Dayle Fenderson
Wadsworth

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**Government class needed**

To the Editor:

At the Sept. 4, village of Antioch board meeting, Trustee Robert Caulfield was unhappy that Mayor Dorothy Larson utilized her right as part of the executive branch to block an attempt to override her veto of a legislative counsel ordinance.

Later in the meeting, Trustee Caulfield attempted to usurp control of the meeting from the mayor. He continued to make numerous attempts to take a vote to override the mayor's veto of legislative counsel despite being out of order and having no legal authority to do so.

Perhaps he needs to take a government class and learn about the separation of powers in government between the executive and legislative branches. Or brush up on the procedural rules of conducting business.

In the end, Trustee Caulfield had to be escorted out of the meeting by the police chief. The behavior exhibited by Trustee Caulfield was belligerent, disorderly, unprofessional, and wrong.

I call on Trustee's Dennis Crosby, Larry Hanson, Robert McCarty, Scott Pierce and Michael Wolczyz to publicly repudiate Trustee Caulfield's actions and pledge not to condone this type of behavior in future meetings.

Trustee Caulfield should publicly apologize for his behavior, respect the rule of order and the separation of executive and legislative powers, or resign.

Jeff Benes
Antioch

**Special Olympics benefit Lake County**

To the editor:

When I started Special Olympics tennis in Illinois 20 years ago, little did I know at that time what benefits would occur from this program. In the beginning, I had just planned to teach tennis to these special people and to run clinics for their coaches. It evolved into running camps, state, regionals, tournaments, and much more.

And as the years go by, I find more and more how I have benefited from this program. I have been lucky enough to meet some wonderful athletes, their families and coaches, the kind Special Olympics administrators and the giving volunteers. While the athletes were getting an experience in tennis, the volunteers and myself were getting a life experience.

This year at the Regional meet for Northeastern Special Olympics we honored the volunteers. These volunteers marched with the athletes during the parade of athletes, received gifts and certificates, two athletes honored them with their words and a special song was dedicated to them. Jerry Brunette, friend and contributor to the programs, also was honored.

These volunteers then spent the remainder of the day working their hearts out to make it a grand, successful day for the athletes. They left the courts tired and with sunburned bodies but I never heard a complaint. All they said was that they had so much fun and they wanted to do this again next year. These are kind, giving people.

I feel truly honored to know all of these people and to have spent time with them these last 20 years. These are the memories that will remain forever with us. Thanks to all. I also need to thank all those from Warren Township High School who allowed us use of their facility for the day. They went out of their way at the last minute to serve our program. it was a great day made great by all involved.

Celeste Pregracke
Special Olympics
Waukegan

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>> SeeingItThrough

## Waukegan Harbor must be de-industrialized

Waukegan might be at the crossroads of its efforts to revitalize the downtown and lakefront development. Part of its master plan is to change the Waukegan Harbor from industrial to recreational.

Much fuss has been made that the city's policies toward reshaping the lakefront might hold up the $24 million toward the super-fund cleanup of the harbor.

At issue is Waukegan's insistence that dredging should be limited and if it goes to the 30-foot depth as proposed, it would seriously jeopardize the city's plan to de-industrialize the harbor.

Of course, National Gypsum, LaFarge Cement, and St. Mary's Cement, the three companies that use large boat shipping to bring in its raw materials, insist that restricting the depth limits will put them out of business. They claim that the ships already can only carry half-loads, so costs to them have doubled.

The major reason for the reduced depth at the harbor is the continuing lowered lake levels, which seem to go down every year.

One might ask whether dredging to a 30-foot depth and costing $36 million – when you consider matching funds – will be used as much to reduce PCB contaminants as to enlarge the harbor to benefit the shipping needs of the three companies.



John S. Matijevich

Waukegan, I know, wants to eliminate PCB's from the harbor. But, does the harbor have to be dredged to a 30-foot depth? I doubt it.

I agree with Waukegan that the de-industrialization of Waukegan Harbor is a must.

You don't need a crystal ball to recognize that the economic future at the lakefront lays in a coordinated residential and recreational development.

Ray Vukovich, Director of Government Services for Waukegan, said that the first question that potential developers ask when considering to invest in the downtown-lakefront plan is "how long is industry going to be there?"

Can you blame them for asking?

It has been said that about 100 workers will lose their jobs if the three industries were forced to close. I asked someone with connections to the city how many of those workers live in Waukegan. He said that so far they had pinpointed only nine such workers.

I have always supported workers. In this case, however, when you consider the cost-benefit ratio, the anticipation of about $1.5 billion toward the downtown-lakefront development is huge.

A local legislator claimed that he is standing up for what the people of Waukegan want – to save those jobs at the harbor. It's strange that when I ask people what they don't like about the lakefront, they almost in unison say "it's those ugly silo's and the industries just north of them."

There might be no such legal term as "aesthetic pollution," but there probably should be. When something is such an ugly eyesore that it hinders positive and wholesome development in a community, it should be addressed.

I hope that Waukegan and the EPA can get their heads together and resolve the issue for the good of the environment and the economic future of the city. Waukegan must become a recreational harbor if the city is to improve both the downtown and the lakefront.

• *John S. Matijevich writes a weekly column for the Lake County Journals.*

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He was preceded in death by a son, Jason, a grandson, a brother, and an infant brother.

The funeral will be at 11 a.m., Friday, Sept. 14, at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch, 1055 Main St. (Route 83). Interment will be in Millburn Cemetery at Old Mill Creek. Visitation was from 4 to 8 p.m. Sept. 13, at the funeral home. Contributions to The Chapel, 25270 W. Highway 60, Grayslake, IL 60030, or to the Lindenhurst Police Department, 2301 E. Sand Lake Road, Lindenhurst, IL 60046 will be appreciated. Please sign the guestbook at www.strangfh.com. Please also sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

### FREDERICK P. REMINGTON

**Born:** Nov. 6, 1936
**Died:** Sept. 10, 2007
*Retired from NiGas after many years of service*

LINDENHURST – Frederick P. Remington, age 70, of Lindenhurst, passed away on Monday, Sept. 10, 2007, at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. He was born in Chicago, on Nov. 6, 1936. He was a member of Prince of Peace Catholic Church in Lake Villa. Fred was retired from NiGas after many years of service.

He was the beloved husband of Janet; loving father of Tracy (Sandy), Jim (Christie) and Randy; cherished grandfather of Luke, Kyle, Charlie and Michael; devoted son of the late Dorothea and Paul; brother of Alan.

Funeral services will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 14, from Ringa Funeral Home, 122 S. Milwaukee Ave.(Route 83), Lake Villa, to Prince of Peace Catholic Church, in Lake Villa, for a 10 a.m. Funeral Mass. Interment will be private. Visitation was held on Thursday, Sept. 13, from 4 to 8 p.m. Funeral info 847-356-2146 or www.ringafuneralhome.com Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

### THOMAS J. O'BRIEN

**Born:** Dec. 21, 1940
**Died:** Sept. 8, 2007

GRAYSLAKE – Thomas J. O'Brien, age 66 of Grayslake, died Saturday, Sept. 8, 2007, at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. He was born Dec. 21, 1940, in Chicago to the late James and Mary O'Brien. Thomas served for the U.S. Navy, and was a teacher for the Antioch Upper Grade School. He also worked at the Brae Loch Golf Course. Thomas was loved by many.

Survivors include his wife of 35 years, Betty O'Brien; his siblings James (Kathy) O'Brien, Timothy (Denise) O'Brien; and his sister-in-law, Barbara O'Brien. He was preceded in death by his aforementioned parents and his brother, Richard.



A private interment was held in Abraham Lincoln Cemetery in Joliet. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 100 Tri-State International, Suite 125, Lincolnshire, IL 60069. Care was entrusted to Strang Funeral Chapel & Crematorium, 410 E. Belvidere Road, Grayslake, IL 60030. Please sign the Guest Book at www.LakeCountyJournals.com/obits.

# SWALCO aids in flood cleanup

## Agency offers disposal services for flood-damaged materials

LAKE COUNTY JOURNALS

The Solid Waste Agency of Lake County offers services to Lake County residents designed to help those affected by the recent flooding as cleanup efforts continue.

Residents should contact their solid waste service provider regarding the disposal of flood-damaged materials and household appliances that might not be accepted by waste haulers. Such appliances also are called "white goods" and may include refrigerators, stoves, water heaters, air conditioners and dehumidifiers

Answers to some questions can be found in the disposal guide on the agency's Web site at www.swalco.org. The guide provides a list of scrap and salvage yards, as well as other information.

People should not place any hazardous or flammable materials in waste containers. The agency offers household chemical waste collections to dispose of these materials.

These events provide a safe and convenient way for residents to dispose of hazardous waste. The agency, also known as SWALCO, recently has expanded its household chemical waste program to include public drop-off days at its Gurnee facility, 1311 N. Estes St. (by appointment only) in addition to mobile collections at locations around the county.

The upcoming September drop-off date in Gurnee is Saturday, Sept. 15. People can schedule appointments online.

A mobile collection will be from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29, in Lake Forest at the Lake Forest Municipal Services Center, 110 E. Laurel Ave.

In addition to these events, SWALCO also hosts electronics collections. There are several scheduled around the county in the next few months. These are free events only for Lake County residents.

For information about events go online at www.co.lake.il.us/swalco/events or call the SWALCO event line at 847-336-9340. Maps and directions to events, as well as a general list of accepted items can be found on the Web site.

>> Wauconda

# Area opinions sought

## Superfund site document in public-comment stage

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WAUCONDA – Wauconda area residents concerned about the process of the Wauconda Superfund Site can submit comments on a consent decree.

Sept. 24 will be the end of a 30-day comment period, according to members of Wauconda Superfund Community Advisory Group (WSCAG).

"The consent decree consists of hundreds of pages of action work. It is a thorough document that outlines who is responsible for what," said action group administrator Joe Anderson said.

Some areas not in the document concern residents such as aquifer cleanup, Anderson said.

"It is a very important document, because it lays the groundwork for monitoring and other activities, with some deadlines for actions," Mike Kuhn, of Lake County Health Department, said.

The former dump site is off Garland Road in Wauconda.

The area of 400 homes has been connected to the village of Wauconda water system.

According to US EPA Region 5, the 60-acre Wauconda Sand and Gravel site includes six acres of licensed and 43 acres of unlicensed landfill areas. From around 1955 until 1978, the site operated as a municipal waste landfill. Three million cubic yards of waste were placed in the licensed and unlicensed landfills, operated on the site.

The entire site was closed and covered with a layer of clay, soil and vegetation in 1978.

The site is restricted, although the property at one time was used for various recreational activities. About 12 homes are within one mile of the landfill.

The site is being addressed through federal, state and Potentially Responsible Party (PRP) actions.

During the fall of 2003, random samples of residential wells by Lake County Health Department indicated vinyl chloride contamination in three wells slightly above the federal safe drinking water standard of two parts for each billion. More sampling showed slight detections of vinyl chloride in about 88 residential wells. The US EPA issued an order allowing for bottled water for residents with affected wells and 400 residents find a municipal water supply.

Anderson said recent testing for vinyl chloride have been done minor detects were found.

To date, all but a few of the residential homes have been connected to the system.

Comments regarding the consent decree on the site should be sent to Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Divisions, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington DC, 20044-7611 or by e-mail at pubcomment-ess.enrd@usdok.gov.

### Under advisory

**Wauconda Superfund Community Advisory Group** (WSCAG) is a committee of residents concerned with Wauconda Sand and Gravel Superfund site.

The purpose of WSCAG is to provide a forum for community members to present and discuss issues related to the superfund decision-making process. Monthly meetings take place at 7 p.m. on the third Tuesday of the month, at Wauconda Township Hall, 505 W. Bonner Road/ Wauconda.

# College of Lake County OKs budget

LAKE COUNTY JOURNALS

The College of Lake County board approved a balanced budget of $78.5 million for the 2008 fiscal year.

Meeting at the college's Southlake Educational Center in Vernon Hills, the board took the action after a public hearing.

The budget is based on a projected 8.9 percent revenue increase the previous year. Property taxes account for 62.78 percent of total revenue, while tuition, fees and other items generate 28.99 percent, and state apportionment funds 8.23 percent.

On the expenditure side, the budget reflects increases in salaries and benefits, and the overall cost of operating college facilities, including the new Southlake Educational Center expansion, said James Rock, vice president for administrative affairs.

Also included is $1 million being set aside to build the college's fund balance, in keeping with a new policy approved by trustees in FY 2006.

That policy requires the college to build the operating fund balance during the next five years to equal or exceed 13 percent of budgeted expenditures – enough to cover about two months of the college's bills, according to a release from CLC.




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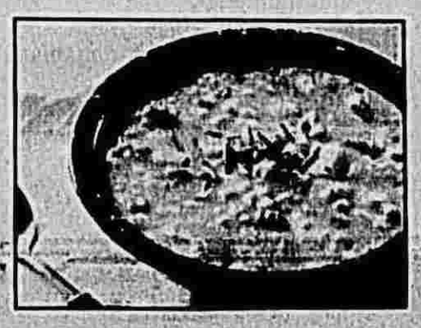
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# Remembering Princess Diana



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Rolls Royce dealer Vernon Smith (left) and Greg Grams, owner of the Volo Auto Museum, unveil the Rolls Royce that drove Princess Diana of Wales during her 1996 visit to the Chicago area. The car is now on permanent display at the museum.

## Volo Auto Museum displays Rolls Royce that drove royalty

By STEVE PETERSON
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Visitors to Volo Auto Museum can now see the luxury car that helped make Princess Diana Spencer's trip to Chicago 11 years ago so memorable. With the recent 10-year mark of her death, the car offers museum-goers a chance to remember her life.

The Rolls Royce she rode in during her three-day stay is on display at the museum and was showed off for the first time Aug. 24 by museum and village officials.

"She was like someone who you thought could be your friend," said Holly Rodgers, of Stuart-Rodgers Photography. "She had her struggles [and her] bad choices, like we all do; just, with us, it is not in the spotlight."

Rodgers and her brother were the exclusive professional photographers during Diana's Chicago stay. Hundreds of fans came to each of the princess's stops just to see her.

While in Chicago, Princess Di visited Cook County Hospital and a Field Museum gala, and she gave a speech at a breast cancer research event.

"I was told the vehicle would be for a member of the Royal Family, but I did not know which one," said retired Rolls Royce dealer Vernon Smith.

Daniel McAleer, who was Princess Di's chauffeur, was in for a surprise after his duties were complete. He received an autographed photo from her, which is at his office in the police department at Northwestern University.

"She was very intelligent, working on land mines, AIDS, and breast cancer," Rodgers said. "She asked very intelligent questions to the doctors at the hospital."

McAleer said roads were closed off, including Chicago expressways, as he drove her around the city.

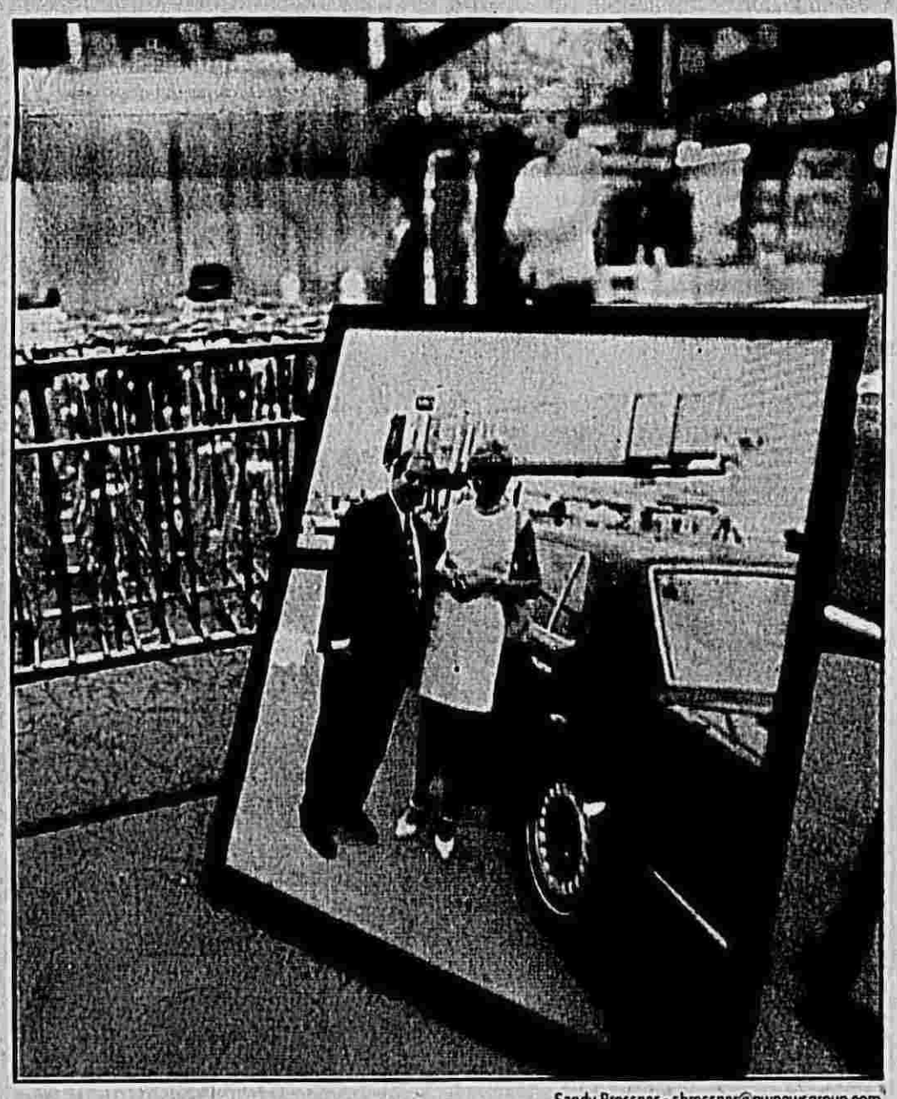
"The car was very well-documented," museum owner Greg Grams said. "I would thank my relationship with Smith for getting it. We're very proud to have the car."

### Royal wheels

The **Volo Auto Museum** is at 25782 Volo Village Road in Volo. It is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily daily. For more information, call 815-385-3644, or visit www.volocars.com.

### Life of a princess

- Princess Diana was born **July 1, 1961**, as Diana Frances Spencer.
- She married Prince Charles **July 29, 1981.**
- Diana died **Aug. 30, 1997,** after a car crash in Paris.



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Photos of Princess Diana (such as the one above) are on display at Volvo Auto Museum. Also on display is the Rolls Royce that drove the princess around Chicago in 1996.

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### SOUNDS OF MUSIC

**LAKE COUNTY FOLK CLUB -** Judy Cook will perform at 7 p.m. on Sept. 16 at El Barrio Restaurant & Lounge, 1122 Diamond Lake Road, in Mundelein. For more information, call 847-295-7228.

**ZANIES TALENT LISTINGS -** On Sept. 17, Rising Star Showcase will perform; on Sept. 16, Costaki Economopoulos will perform; on Sept. 18, Lucky 21 Regionals will perform; from Sept. 19 through 23, Larry Reeb will perform; from Sept. 25 through 30, Ken Rogerson. Performances will take place at 8:30 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays and Sundays; at 8:30 and 10:30 p.m. on Fridays; and at 7, 9, and 11:15 p.m. on Saturdays at 1548 N. Wells in Chicago. For more information, call 312-337-4027, or visit www.ZANIES.com.

### MUSEUM EVENTS

**KOHL CHILDREN'S MUSEUM -** "Think Tank," a new exhibit designed to challenge minds, will open Sept. 18 at Kohl Children's Museum of Greater Chicago, 1412 W. Belmont Ave., in Chicago. For more information, call 773-327-3830, or e-mail mail@carolfoxassociates.com.

**THE INTERNATIONAL MUSEUM OF SURGICAL SCIENCE-** 1524 N. Lake Shore Drive, in Chicago; For more information, call the museum at 312-642-6502, or visit www.imss.org. Featuring: "Recovery," an exhibition of embroidered x-rays by Matthew Cox (www.jonathanferraragallery.com/cox.html) and "Under the Looking Glass: Examining Natural and Constructed Structures," which features fiber and multimedia sculptures by Maggie Leininger.

**THE FIELD MUSEUM-** 1400 S. Lake Shore Drive, in Chicago; For more information, call 312-665-7100, or visit www.fieldmuseum.org. Featuring: New Discoveries"; "Darwin"; Through Dec. 31, "Cheyenne Visions"; Through Labor Day, "Cicadas and Emerald Ash Borers"; "Evolving Planet."

**LAKE COUNTY DISCOVERY MUSEUM-** Route 176 and Fairfield Road, in Wauconda. For more information, call 847-968-3393, or visit www.LCFPD.org. Featuring: "Hooked." See the largest display of Dan Basore's legendary fishing collection. The exhibition features items dating from indigenous cultures to modern day. Visit the Buck Perry theater, make a lure in the interactive lure lab and visit the old fashioned bait shop. The display will take place through Sept. 23.

### SPECIAL EVENTS

**COLLEGE-BOUND WORKSHOP -** A workshop for parents of college-bound high school students will be on Sept. 18, 22, and 25, as well as Oct. 20 and 23. Times are 7:15 to 8:45 p.m. for week day classes and 10:15 to 11:45 a.m. for Saturday classes. The classes will be at the offices of The Majestic Group in Vernon Hills. For more information, and to reserve a seat, call 847-871-0454.

**FORT HILL HERITAGE MUSEUM -** The museum will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sept. 22 to celebrate its 20th anniversary. For more information, call 847-566-7743.

**MS COCKTAILIN' -** The National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Greater Illinois Chapter, will host its fourth annual MS Cocktailin' for the Cause benefit from 7 to 11 p.m. on Oct. 5 at Hotel Allegro, 171 W. Randolph, in Chicago. For more information, call 800-FIGHT MS (344-4867).

**PETROPOLIS EVENTS -** A Holistic Animal Health Fair will be from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Sept. 15 at the Lake County Fairgrounds, 50 S. Route 45, in Grayslake. For more information, call 847-223-2204. A Bark n' Bowl Fun Night will begin at 6 p.m. at 3-D Bowl in Island Lake. For more information, call 847-526-7174.

**ADULT SIBLING CONFERENCE -** From 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sept. 15, an adult sibling conference will be at the Pioneer Center for Human Services, 4001 Dayton St., in McHenry. For more information, call Nora Fox Handler at 773-935-1093, or e-mail her at handler55@aol.com.

**LAMBS FARM-** 14252 W. Rockland Road, in Libertyville, For more information, call 847-362-4636; Featuring: a Lambs Farm pool drawing to benefit Lambs Farm's programs in Libertyville on Sept. 27. A pool valued at $20,000 has been donated to Lambs Farm by Kayak Pools Midwest. Installation of the pool will be included in the prize package. Tickets are $10 each or $25 for three chances to win. For more information on the drawing, or to order tickets, call Barbara Schwarz at 847-990-3733, or visit www.lambsfarm.org.

**JPM PRODUCTIONS INC.-** JMP Productions Inc. announced the dates for its final round of auditions to be a part of the "Creature Crew" at Six Flags America's Fright Fest in Gurnee this October. Casting for all acting and backstage positions will be from 5 to 10 p.m. on Sept. 14, and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sept. 15 and 16. Applicants should use the employee entrance for Six Flags on Milwaukee Avenue, just south of Grand Avenue, in Gurnee. Go to the Human Resources trailers and follow the signs.

Rehearsals will be Sept. 30 through the event's opening the following weekend. Performance dates are Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays through Oct. 30; attendance on Columbus Day (Monday Oct. 10) is optional, but encouraged. Those interested should go to http://jpmproductions.com/sfga.aspx for more information. They also may contact JPM Casting Recruiter Michael Reidlinger at michaelreidlinger@jpmproductions.com for the latest information and to schedule their audition.

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### ON STAGE

**GENESEE THEATRE-** 203 N. Genesee St., in Waukegan; Featuring: Peter Frampton at 8 p.m. on Sept. 29; "Cirque Dreams Jungle Fantasy" at 8 p.m. on Oct. 3; "Morrissey" at 8 p.m. on Oct. 17. Tickets for both shows can be bought at the Genesee Theatre box office, all Ticketmaster outlets, charge-by-phone at 312-559-1212 or at www.ticketmaster.com. For more information, call 847-782-2366, or visit www.geneseetheatre.com.

### WORKS OF ART

**ARTS AND CRAFTS -** From 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sept. 15, the 17th annual An Arts & Crafts Adventure II will take place on the grounds of Hodges Park on Prospect and Vine in Park Ridge.

For more information, call the American Society of Artists at 312-751-2500 or 847-991-4748, or visit www.americansocietyofartists.org.



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**Donny Osmond sings a song from the 1970's during his concert Sept. 7 at the Genesee Theatre in Waukegan.**

# Genesee Theatre gets '70s twist

## Donny Osmond comes to Waukegan

By DANI SCHWEIGERT
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For one night, the mellow vibe and colorfulness of the '70s came back to life, as the sweet and smooth-sounding tunes of that time were re-created.

The '70s was a time of rebirth for music, as new artists continued to take center stage – including the Osmonds. And when Donny Osmond performed Sept. 7 at Genesee Theatre, he brought back not only a nostalgia for the '70s, but the sounds of that decade as well.

"We're going to do a lot of '70s songs tonight," Osmond said as he greeted the crowd. "We're going to bring back the memories of that decade – in my opinion, the best decade for music."

Osmond is touring through mid-November to promote his latest album, "Love Songs of the '70s," his 55th album. Although the tour will take Osmond across the U.S., he said being in Waukegan was special for him, as he lived about 25 miles from the area while performing in the play "Joseph."

"It's nice to come home," he said.

And Lake County fans seemed happy to welcome Osmond back.

Stephanie Morby, of Gurnee, said she has followed the Osmonds for years.

"[They] were a part of our culture growing up," she said. "The Osmonds' cartoon series was a Saturday-morning staple."

And when she heard Donny was coming to Genesee Theatre, she couldn't wait to see him perform.

"I grew up going to this theater, so it brings back so many memories," she said. "It's amazing that we can attract stars like Donny here [in Lake County]."

Another Osmond fan at the concert was Milwaukee resident Sheri Mecklenburg, who came with her husband, Jim. Sheri wore a T-shirt that read "Osmonds 50th Anniversary," which she bought at the family's reunion a few weeks ago in Las Vegas. The event celebrated 50 years since the family began in show business.

"It was great growing up with the Osmonds in the '60s and '70s, when things weren't always so clean," Sheri said. "They're the family everyone wanted to be a part of."

But, Sheri admitted, there is one Osmond who stole her heart.

"Donny's always been my favorite," she said. "Wherever he is, I go. Donny could sing the ABCs and I'd be happy. He's just a timeless person, and he's not afraid to show his faith and who he is."

It's that faith that brought three other fans to Donny's concert in Waukegan. Sue Fwayngim, of Lexington, Okla.; Susan Gold-Sinde, of Algonquin; and Maxine Davies, of Hertfordshire, England, met on Donny.com. The three went to the Web site to find inspiration and faith while dealing with illness. Sue has multiple sclerosis and lupus, Susan has bone marrow cancer, and Maxine has breast cancer.

"I go to his concerts because he's helped me a lot through the spirituality of his music and voice," said Fwayngim, who wore a sticker that read "Donny's Soul Sisters."

A few years ago, Fwayngim lost everything in Hurricane Katrina and thought she would never get her life back. Not long after, Osmond and others gave her a car filled with things she needed and helped her find a home.

"It's a family," she said of Osmond's Web site.

As Osmond began his concert with "Will It Go Round in Circles," the three friends, who met in person for the first time at the concert, couldn't help but fight tears.

Dressed in black pants and a sports coat (he later changed into jeans), Osmond walked with ease across the stage and joked with the audience, especially before he sang "Puppy Love," a song that he said has been "his theme song" through the years.

"I'm pushing 50, and I'm still singing [it]," he said with a laugh.

During "Laughter in the Rain," an upbeat ballad, Osmond autographed memorabilia that audience members handed him, and during "In It For Love," he laid down on the stage and took a picture of himself with a fan.

He slowed things down with a video montage of photos of his family and himself through the years, and he kept things slow as he sang "Any Dream Will Do" from "Joseph," during which the audience sang the chorus. Osmond later had the audience provide the beat to "Sacred Emotion," a song he said helped him reinvent himself as an artist. Osmond sang the tune acapella, which displayed the dulcet tone of his voice that made him so popular in the '70s.

And Osmond really took the audience back to the '70s when he played songs he recorded as a teenager on his iPod. After listening to the tracks, he sang a "2007 version" of them.

Although Osmond's music has made him famous, Gold-Sinde said it is his character that has gotten him where he is.

"It's his inspiration, perseverance, love, and concern for others," she said.

**Donny Osmond**

• For a listing of Donny Osmond's tour stops, visit **Donny.com** and click on "tours."


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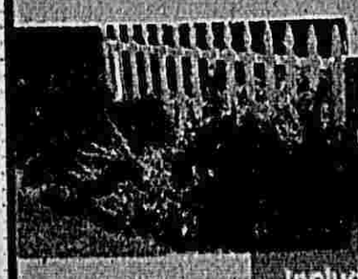
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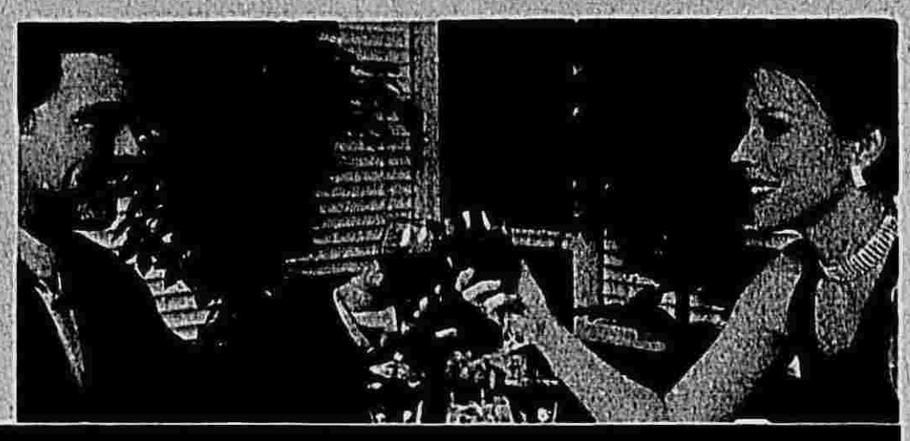


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The Fox Lake area has a first-rate Italian restaurant on Washington Street (between Rollins Road and Route 59) that would be just as at home in downtown Chicago. In fact, when owners Bob and Karen moved from the city to the area, they opened Za Za's because they didn't want to travel far for good Italian food.

Bob and Karen have been in the restaurant business for over 25 years, with five of those years spent running Za Za's. Karen said Za Za's is a family owned and run restaurant "where every guest is also treated like family."

My server, Dean, was true to this promise. I received top-notch service in elegant surroundings. The atmosphere is inviting, with linen covered tables and a vineyard motif set against warm tones of wine. Italian music adds to the ambience. The dining room seats 44, while an upstairs party room seats an additional 30 diners.

Za Za's also has a large bar area with live entertainment on weekends. The bar seats approximately 40 people.

Chef Davito creates an impressive selection of dishes for both lunch and dinner. Choose from a wide array of appetizers, soups, salads, pasta, chicken, veal, steak, seafood, and desserts. Everything is homemade, and Chef Davito will also make a meal to your specifications if he has the ingredients on hand.




I tried Chef Davito's lunch special of the day: a generous serving of chicken breasts with mushrooms, black olives, capers, tomatoes, and artichoke hearts in a delicious white garlic butter sauce. The dish was perfect for a summer day—light with just the right blend of flavorful ingredients. This was capped off with another one of Chef Davito's specialties, a wonderful crème brulee cheesecake.

In addition to the extensive dinner menu, Za Za's has a varied selection of dinner specials every night. They include South African lobster tail, orange roughy stuffed with Maryland crab cake, a 14-ounce veal chop with brandy mushroom sauce, and a marinated rack of lamb. The list goes on.

Za Za's is a definite asset to the community. In turn, Karen said, "We highly appreciate the village" and its patronage. And this reviewer is sure you'll appreciate the fine Italian dining offered at Za Za's.




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On July 7, Abbie Mark and Tom Idstein were married at the Princeville Resort in Kauai, Hawaii, officiated by Larry LaSota. A reception took place immediately afterward in the pool-side tent at the resort. A mainland reception was celebrated on July 27 at the Greenbelt Cultural Center in North Chicago for friends and family who couldn't make the trip to Hawaii. The newlyweds honeymooned on the Big Island of Hawaii.

The bride's maid-of-honor was Abby Karlovitz, of Chicago, and Erick Hansen, of Grayslake, was the groom's best man. Jamie Gallagher, of Des Moines, Iowa, Katrina Crawford, of Long Beach, Calif., Sabrina Binder, of Grayslake, Becca Bleyer, of Round Lake, and Lauren Wood, of Round Lake, were the bridesmaids.

Groomsmen were Derek Mark, of Lindenhurst, Kyle Mark, of Lindenhurst, and Derek Idstein, of Grayslake.

Mike and Sherri Mark, of Lindenhurst, are the bride's parents. Abbie is a 1998 graduate of Grayslake High School and in 2003, she graduated from Illinois State University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in business management. She is employed at Allstate Insurance Company as a project manager.

Tom is the son of Ann Barnett, of Lakewood, Calif., and Ken and Joy Idstein, of Grayslake. He is a 1996 Grayslake High School graduate, has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Electrical Engineering and a Master of Arts degree in electrical engineering from the University of Iowa. Tom is employed at Caterpillar in Peoria as a Senior Associate Engineer.



Abbie Mark & Tom Idstein

### Anniversary

**Kenneth K. and Thelma M. Hamsher**

Kenneth K. and Thelma M. (nee Lay) Hamsher will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Sept. 13 with family members at the Roxana Hotel's Bed and Breakfast in Fox Lake. Ken and Thelma were married at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Johnsburg by the Rev. Neidert.

Ken and Thelma met at a U.S.O. dance while Kenneth was serving in the U.S. Navy during WWII at Great Lakes Naval Base. He has owned and operated K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home in Fox Lake since 1953. He and Thelma still reside above the funeral home overlooking Pistakee Lake.

They have three children, Debra (Dale Sr.) Glen, of Fox Lake, Sharon (Alan) Breunig, of Spring Grove, and Kirk (Linda) Hamsher of Johnsburg; eight grandsons, Dale Glen Jr. and Kevin (Katie) Glen, all of Chicago, Kory (Lisa) Glen, of Cary, Joe and Lou Amodeo, of Chicago, Logan Ernster-Hamsher and Hayden Hamsher, of Johnsburg, Brandon (Maeghan) Breunig, of Louisville, Ky., and one granddaughter, Brittany Breunig, of Aurora; and three great-grandchildren, Benjamin, Grace and Evan.

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# RATINGS

★★★★ EXCELLENT ★★★ GOOD ★★ AVERAGE ★ AWFUL



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Billy Bob Thornton stars in "Mr. Woodcock," a new comedy directed by Craig Gillespie.

# Cliché script spoils 'Mr. Woodcock'

By JEFFREY WESTHOFF
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**"Mr. Woodcock"**

★★

**Genre:** Comedy
**Director:** Craig Gillespie
**Writer:** Michael Carnes and Josh Gilbert
**More information:** Rated PG-13 for crude and sexual content, thematic material, language and a mild drug reference; running time time is 87 minutes

The makers of "Mr. Woodcock" don't tell a story – they pad out a formula.

This is the first script for writers Michael Carnes and Josh Gilbert, and it has the mark of something dashed off after reading what dozens of screenwriting manuals had to say about the marketplace and the three-act paradigm, but not one word about characterization or dramatic unity.

The set-up, as most manuals instruct, can be easily reeled off in one sentence. A young man (Seann William Scott) discovers his mother (Susan Sarandon) is dating a sadistic gym teacher named Mr. Woodcock (Billy Bob Thornton), who terrorized him in middle school.

Once they came up with this premise, Carnes and Gilbert stopped writing and started programming. Because once the set-up is achieved, it appears to be a dead end.

These three characters are, presumably, adults, and if the son doesn't like his mother's new boyfriend, well, that's life. Scott's character, John Farley, no longer lives in the same small Nebraska town as his mother.

He is the author of a best-selling self-help book and has returned home to receive the "Corn Cob Key" to the city (because this is a small Midwestern town in a Hollywood film, everything is a pun on the word "corn"). Even though he despises Mr. Woodcock, John knows his mother's love life is none of his business and to interfere would violate the precepts of his own book.

Unless John suddenly becomes a raving lunatic, this story can go nowhere.

John suddenly becomes a raving lunatic. The rest of "Mr. Woodcock" is a comedy of humiliation apparently modeled on "Meet the Parents."

Even if this shaky premise might work, it does require the talents of Ben Stiller – who ingratiates when he should repel. In no way does Scott have these talents.

John alternately challenges Mr. Woodcock or attempts to befriend him, changing his mind not for any credible reason, but to fit the screenplay's formulaic sense of comedy.

Although Thornton has played this type of role before (the mean taciturn guy who says terrible things to children), he is the best thing about "Mr. Woodcock." (The second best thing is the lack of obvious jokes about the title character's name).

Woodcock whips basketballs at students he calls losers and says things like, "You need more in this world than math and science." He is an absolute jerk, but Thornton plays him as a man with a fixation on excellence, and he comes across as more likeable than Scott's character.

Sarandon's character spends so much time being oblivious to the war being fought over her that you wonder why such a brilliant, Oscar-winning actress would want the job. She does get a good speech near the end, but most of the role wastes her talents.

The story is so dumb and so clearly plot-driven that "Mr. Woodcock" has more in common with the mechanical comedies Hollywood often foists on children with titles like "Big Fat Liar" and "Slappy and the Stinkers." The key difference is that "Mr. Woodcock" has dirty jokes.

Adults act like idiots in those children's films, just as they do in "Mr. Woodcock." In those kids' films, however, the stupid adults give the youngsters a chance to laugh and feel superior.

I guess we're supposed to feel superior to John and Mr. Woodcock as their grudge-match grows to preposterous lengths, but it isn't funny. It's sad and a waste of time.

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# Ending not so brave in 'The Brave One'

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Jodi Foster stars in "The Brave One."

**"The Brave One"**

★★½

**Genre:** Drama
**Writers:** Roderick Taylor, Bruce A. Taylor and Cynthia Mort
**Director:** Neil Jordan
**More information:** Rated R for strong violence, language and some sexuality; running time 119 minutes

Five minutes away from glory, "The Brave One" blows it.

Directed by Neil Jordan and starring Jodie Foster – two filmmakers whose names usually mean "uncompromising" – "The Brave One" is an often brilliant examination of vigilantism. Then, in those final 5 minutes, it compromises.

The ending is a cheap cop-out that subverts the film's message. Rather, it rips away what had been the film's message and replaces it with a more crass, more audience-pleasing one that fits producer Joel Silver's track record more than Jordan's or Foster's.

In the beginning, Foster's character, Erica Bain, enjoys a blessed life. She is a popular New York City radio personality who hosts an NPR-like program called "Street Walk." Not only do the city's intellectuals love Erica, so does her fiancé, (Naveen Andrews of "Lost"), who is a doctor.

This promising life meets a harsh end when Erica and her fiancé are mugged in Central Park (how 1970s). He dies, and she spends three weeks in a coma, emerging as a self-described "woman with a grudge."

Now living in fear, Erica buys a gun illegally. A few days later, Erica is in the middle of a convenience-store holdup. She shoots the robber and realizes she feels no remorse for killing the man. She further realizes the police don't even remotely suspect her.

Erica begins moonlighting as a vigilante, placing herself in situations where she might be robbed so she can kill her assailants.

Meanwhile, she forms a symbiotic relationship with Det. Sean Mercer (Terrence Howard), the man in charge of tracking down the vigilante killer. A fan of Erica's program, Mercer takes her into his confidence. He finds it odd that an on-air cultural essayist would be so interested in a killer of lowlifes, but he chalks it up to her being the victim of a violent crime.

What pushes "The Brave One" toward genius is how Jordan mimics the dynamism of superhero movies. Erica develops a dual personality, pretending to be the person she once was while admitting in her narration, "You become someone else, a stranger." If Erica threw on a costume and beat criminals up instead of killing them, "The Brave One" wouldn't be much different from a Batman movie.

"The Brave One" also plays ironically on Foster's career. She had a key role in the most incisive of all vigilante films, "Taxi Driver." Just as Robert De Niro did in that film, Foster rescues a teenage prostitute from her pimp; in "Taxi Driver," of course, Foster played the teenage prostitute.

Foster's performance in "The Brave One" is searing – her best in years.

The worst thing about the ending is that it violates Howard's character so profoundly. What happens in the final minutes is so at odds with the film's tone and morality that it is either a studio-mandated rewrite or Jordan, who can be wily, intends it as a satire of how Hollywood usually soft-pedals revenge killings.

Either way, the profoundly discouraging ending doesn't work.

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>> OnStage

# Odets' 'Paradise Lost' gets stunning revival

By TOM WITOM
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A fine line separates economic security and financial duress, and in Clifford Odets' rarely performed three-act 1935 drama "Paradise Lost," the playwright homes in on the upheaval known as the Great Depression.

The play, whose title is a reference to John Milton's epic poem, relates to a seismic shift in economic and social conditions. It's still relevant today at a time when job outsourcing is common, home loan defaults are escalating mortgage foreclosures and moral values are coming under intense scrutiny.

As directed by Louis Contey, the intense TimeLine Theatre Company production unflinchingly brings to life the struggles of a middle-class family in New York City caught up in the thicket of the financial downturn.

It's 1932 and nearly 16 million Americans are out of work.

Leo Gordon (convincingly played by Michael Kingston) is coping with a printing business on the verge of collapse, but that's only one issue. He and his wife Clara (Janet Ulrich Brooks) have a son (Jurgen Hooper) who is dying of an unspecified illness; another son, Ben (Aaron Golden), a one-time Olympic track medal winner who has lost faith in himself; and a withdrawn, depressed daughter Pearl (Mechelle Moe), an unemployed pianist who has immersed herself in music.

An upstairs apartment serves as living quarters for Gordon's excitable partner Sam Katz (Brian McCartney) and his unhappy, protective wife Bertha (Angela Bullard).



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Michael Kingston and Janet Ulrich Brooks star as Leo and Clara Gordon in Clifford Odets' Depression-era drama "Paradise Lost" staged by TimeLine Theatre Company through Oct. 21.

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**What:** "Paradise Lost"
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Frequent visitors are Gordon's friend Gus (Whit Spurgeon), a good-hearted widower whose flighty, fun-focused daughter Clara (Tien Doman) has just married Gordon's son Ben, and Kewpie (Jeremy Glickstein), Ben's boyhood friend and rival who lacks moral fiber.

Another interesting character is Mr. Scott (Scott Aiello), a fired-up activist who rails against World War I and its approaching sequel.

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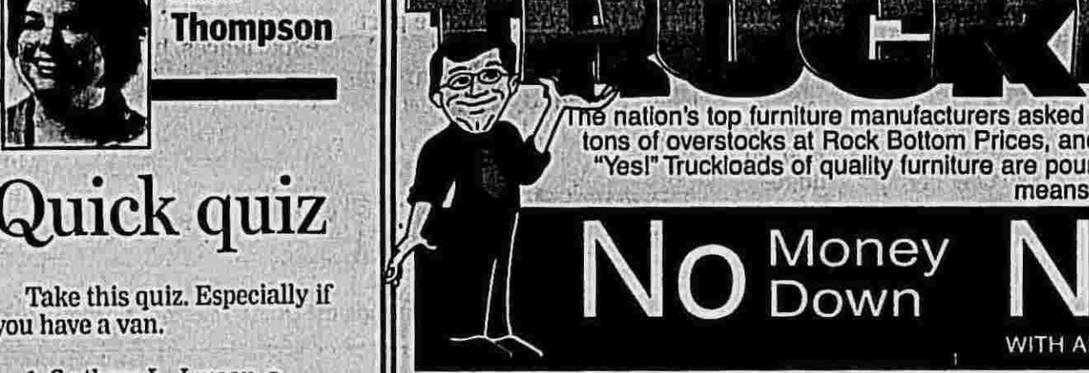
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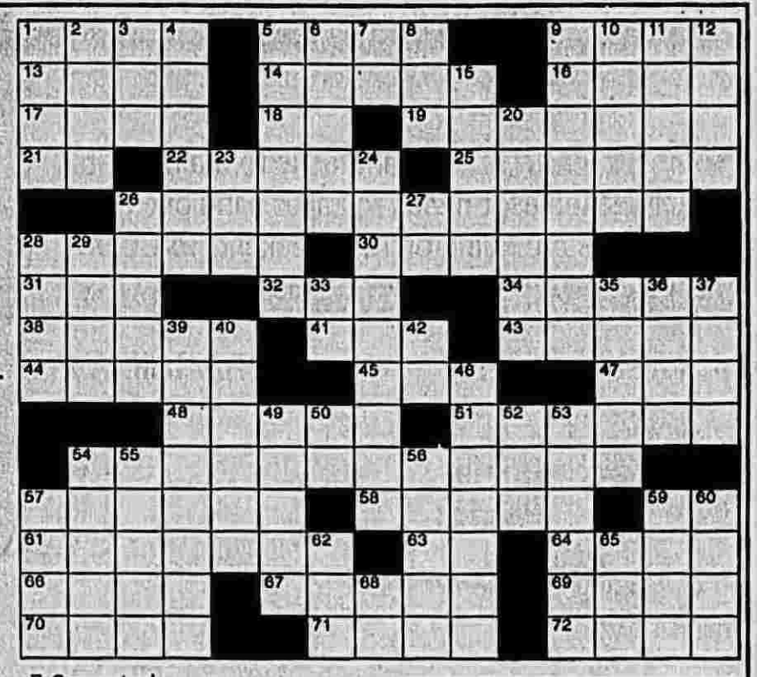
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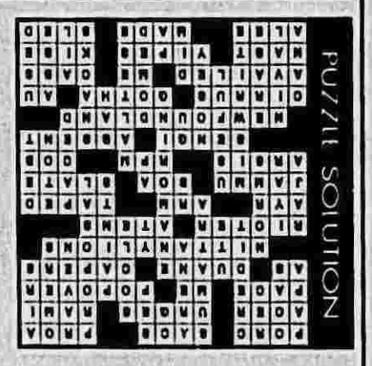



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9. Malayan sailboat
13. Magnoliopsid genus
14. Exhorts
16. ___fication: branches out
17. The rate of moving
18. Of I
19. Hollow muffin
21. Equally
22. Allman Brother
25. Pickled flower buds
26. Penn State
28. Violent disturbance participant
30. Thre___: menaces
31. Scottish County (abbr.)
32. Superior limb
34. Recorded on video
38. ___ and Kashmir
41. Fluffy scarf of feathers
43. Roofing rock
44. Unaccented syllable verse
45. Revolutions per minute
47. Adult male swan
48. Elephant shrews
51. Away
54. An island in the north Atlantic
57. Cloud
58. Central German city
59. Gold symbol
61. Made use of
63. Who I am
64. Rigs
66. Thomas __, American cartoonist
67. Expression of surprise
69. Ulcerated chilblain on the heel
70. Away from wind
71. Formed
72. Vehicle mounted on runners

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5. Indonesian Island
6. Space for entertainments
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9. Offer of marriage
10. Black bird
11. Ancient units of measure
12. Affectations
15. Plinth supporting a wall
20. Applies color to a wall
23. Shoshonean
24. Inspiring with love
26. Criterions
27. Yukon Territory
28. Indian prince
29. 8th Jewish month
33. A radioactive element
35. Walked back and forth
36. British school
37. Something that is owed
39. Spell incorrectly
40. Serviceable
42. Associated press
46. Little white dog
49. Inquisitive
50. Georgetown University
52. Humbug
53. Eaten between meals
54. Growing in snow
55. Wipe out recorded information
56. Having a rounded roof
57. Site of Jesus' 1st miracle
59. A French abbot
60. Secondhand
62. Make darker
65. Feel ill
68. The Keystone State




## >> Horoscope

**VIRGO – Aug 24/Sept 22**
Being busy is the fuel that lights your fire and adds the spark you've been missing, Virgo.

**LIBRA – Sept 23/Oct 23**
Now's the time to begin those plans you thought were too far-fetched to become reality, Libra.

**SCORPIO – Oct 24/Nov 22**
Scorpio, you're headed for success this week, so move into the fast lane. Enjoy the ride because it's going to be an exciting one.

**SAGITTARIUS – Nov 23/Dec 21**
This week you'll find strength and support from the family around you, Sagittarius. Don't be shy about asking for love and affection.

**CAPRICORN – Dec 22/Jan 20**
Your ambition pays off as you finish a goal that you thought was insurmountable, Capricorn.

**AQUARIUS – Jan 21/Feb 18**
Aquarius, new people are drawn to your charisma. But if you're attached, be sure not to give out the wrong signals.

**PISCES – Feb 19/Mar20**
A family member surprises you with a trip to a place you've never visited before, Pisces.

**ARIES – Mar 21/Apr 20**
The need to fit in is your motivation for a physical metamorphosis this week, Aries.

**TAURUS – Apr 21/May 21**
Taurus, a financial windfall comes your way, but you need to be smart.

**GEMINI – May 22/Jun 21**
You'll have some amazing ideas this week that will send your career skyrocketing, Gemini.

**CANCER – Jun 22/Jul 22**
Romantic sparks fly, and your weekend is sure to sizzle, Cancer.

**LEO – Jul 23/Aug 23**
Leo, an exciting deal is on the horizon, but keep an eye on the small details. Believe in yourself, as Leos are known to do, and you'll succeed.

## >> ElementsOf TheRidiculous



Jana Thompson

# Quick quiz

Take this quiz. Especially if you have a van.

1. So there I – I mean, a friend of mine – is on Route 31, driving home from work in a good mood and listening to the radio.

The disc jockeys are playing some kind of hoax on someone. The DJs are still egging this guy on as she comes to a stoplight, where a van is broken down.

And there she is, laughing hysterically at the radio – which the people by the van can't hear – but looking at them. They glare at her.

**In this situation, she should:**

a) Roll down the window and yell, "Do you need to use my cell phone?"

b) Roll down the window and yell, "I wasn't laughing at you!" and speed off.

c) Stare forward and never take Route 31 anywhere again.

2. Your – ahem – friend spots another van broken down on another major highway (yes, it could happen – different day). A woman is carrying a toddler down a dangerous median. She calls the police.

"What color is the van?" asks the dispatcher.

"Taupe," she says.

"No, what color is it closest to in the rainbow?" asks the dispatcher.

"Um ... beige."

"OK, which direction is it pointed?"

Your friend nearly has a brain meltdown trying to determine the direction.

**Next time, she should:**

a) Learn which colors are really in the rainbow.

b) Look at the moss on the highway dividers.

c) Teach a design course at the police station.

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**PREP SCHEDULE:** Grant looks to maintain its perfect season as it heads to Lakes. Find out what other games are going on this weekend. **PAGE 9B**

**FOOTBALL:** Wauconda running back Brad Wisniewski scored three touchdowns in the Bulldogs NSC-Prairie win. **PAGE 9B**

**KADUK:** Golf fans should blame PGA commissioner Tim Finchem and organizers for player absences at FedEx Cup playoff. **PAGE 10B**

>> SideLines



Daniel J. Patrick

## Something to cry about

Even with millions of dollars in the bank, pro athletes are still human, especially pro athletes like Mike Brown.

Given the severity of Brown's injury, it seems likely that he's taken his last snap in the NFL. Given his millions in the bank after a seven-year career in the league, most armchair fans such as myself had little sympathy for him during his blubbering goodbye last Sunday.

But surely the former athlete in all of us could understand his pain.

Anyone who has ever suited up, whether in football pads, a basketball uniform or a cheerleading outfit, felt for him. Facing the end of an athletic career is facing the end of an era in life.

It's hard enough to say goodbye at the end of a prep career. Prep sports aren't just about a couple of months a year anymore.

Prep sports are a yearlong endeavor. They're a lifestyle that means giving up time, money, even friends for the sake of glory on the playing field, and for memories that last a lifetime.

For Mike Brown, take all the work and the war stories an average varsity athlete has and add on a decade. That's what he's given up.

As the tears ran, some might see him as soft or spoiled because of the millions of dollars in his bank account.

But as the envy wore off, I began to see a little of myself, a little of all the players who cry after losing a playoff game every year. They're not soft, they're just trying to deal with the gravity of seeing their careers and all the memories come to a screeching halt.

Simply talking to some of the players in an area 7-on-7 league made me suit up for the first time in a decade.

Why? Because watching those players relive the glory days and rediscover what it feels like to lay down a hit, catch a pass, or just seeing yourself in a set of pads in the mirror was too much to deny.

Brown surely has plenty of trophies from every phase of his football career, but in his case, an era of life has almost certainly ended. And we all can sympathize with that.

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>> Football: Warren 32, Libertyville 17

# Making it look easy

## Warren's Kennedy gets the offense going in second half

By DANIEL J. PATRICK
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LIBERTYVILLE – No many people saw it coming, not even the young running back who caused Warren's huge second half rally to win 32-17 against Libertyville.

When Warren sophomore Greg Kennedy touched the ball just twice in the first half, Blue Devil skipper Dave Mohapp had a little premonition for him. Kennedy said that Mohapp warned him that his time was coming and to save up his energy.

"It definitely feels good, but I didn't really see it coming," Kennedy said. "My coaches told me that I was going to get in at running back for the rest of the game, but I never saw that coming."

Even if they couldn't have predicted it, the opposing Wildcats saw an offensive freight train coming their way for the game. Overall, Kennedy racked up 105 yards and a rushing touchdown on 11 carries. And that doesn't even count for his 6-yard touchdown reception and his 94-yard kickoff return score.

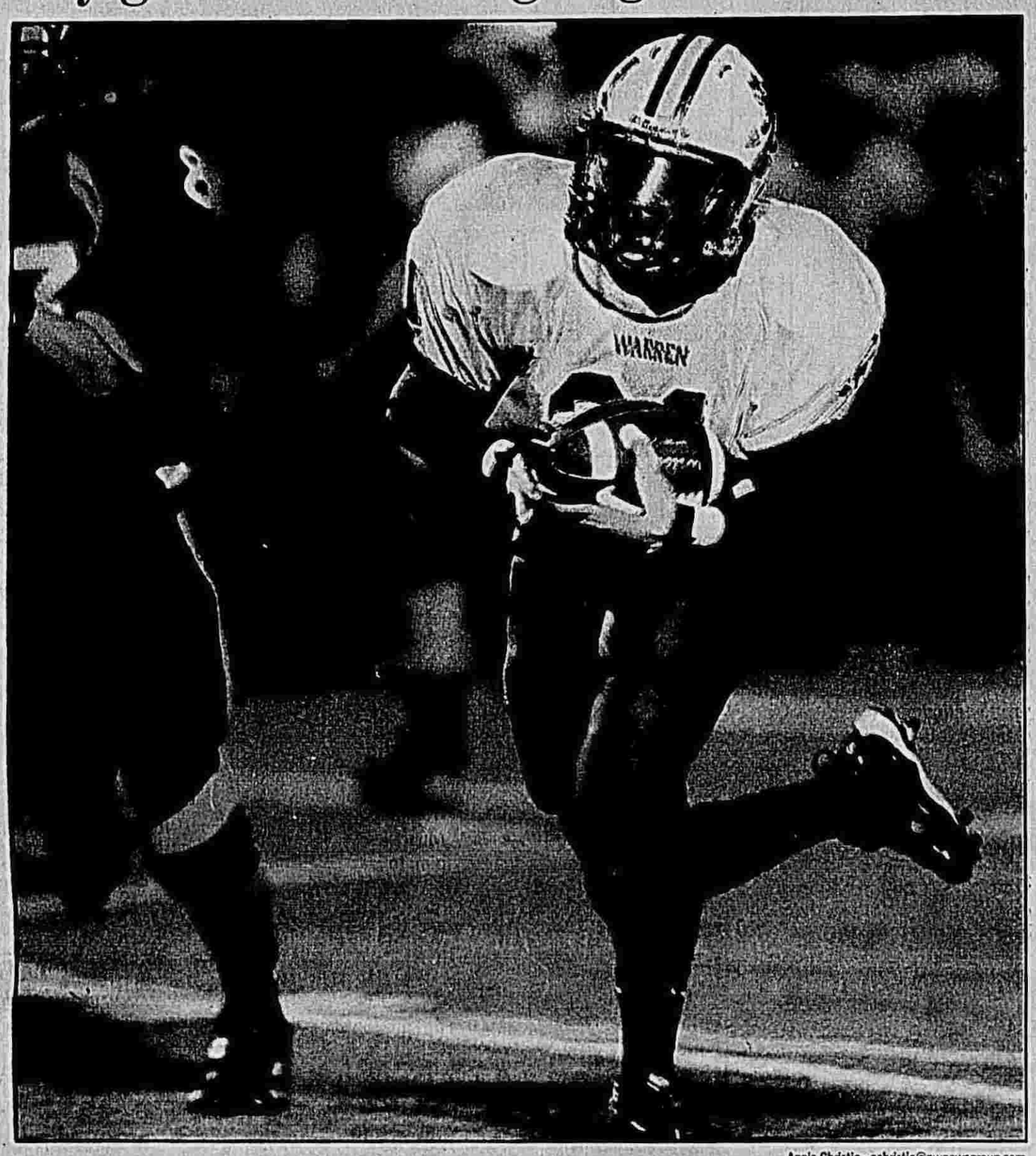
Kennedy had his hands all over nearly every point in Warren's 22-point second half.

Before that, Warren and Libertyville traded blows to a 10-10 halftime tie. But all it took was 6 seconds for Kennedy to start his barrage.

During the second half kickoff, Kennedy fielded the kick at the Warren 6-yard line only to take the ball all the way for the score.

After Kennedy's run and a successful kick gave the Blue Devils a 17-10 lead, Warren's defense followed suit, forcing a three-and-out to give Warren the ball yet again. Warren's offense went right back to work and scored with a 47-yard Steve Fox field goal for the 20-10 lead.

See WARREN, page 10B



Annie Christie - achristie@nwnewsgroup.com
Warren's Greg Kennedy rushes for a touchdown during the third quarter in the Sept. 7 game against Libertyville. Warren won 32-17.

>> Football: Grant 29, Antioch 20

# Bulldogs seal fate with late-game touchdown

By STEVE PETERSON
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FOX LAKE – Jordan Welter was tired on the Grant sideline after he ran an 81-yard fumble recovery return for a touchdown.

"This feels great," Welter said. "I have never run that long before. Izzy Montemayor had hit the ball carrier, and I just picked it up. I ran for my life."

That touchdown was not the last for Grant as the team went on to beat Antioch 29-20.

Welter's defensive touchdown gave the Bulldogs a 14-6 lead, and it grew to 22-6 when quarterback Pavel Zurkowski found Tommy Bychowski open for a 22-yard touchdown strike.

Quick-strike capabilities from Antioch's offense kept the game close until Zurkowski ran from 56 yards out in the final seconds for a nine-point win and a 3-0 start for Grant. Zurkowski finished the night with 23 carries for 177 yards and two touchdowns.



Pavel Zurkowski

Grant, 1-0 in the North Suburban Conference Prairie Division, will be at Lakes (1-2, 0-1 NSC-Prairie) Sept. 14. Antioch has another unbeaten team in Wauconda at home.

Welter, a 6-foot, 180-pound offensive and defensive lineman, started his football career relatively late, as a freshman. But he has made up for lost time, earning a spot on the line that blocks for Zurkowski and Montemayor.

"We try and condition our kids during the week. We run them pretty hard," Grant coach Kurt Rous said. "We're not real nice to them."

Antioch's Lamarr Pottinger (five catches, 162 yards) completed a 48-yard touchdown strike to Cameron White for a 6-0 Antioch lead.

Antioch (2-1) seemed to gain momentum with a pass from Matt Romani to White late in the first half.

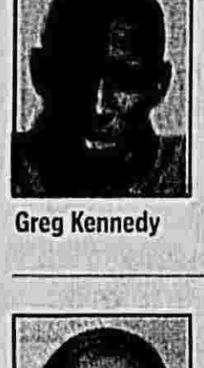
White added a third quarter touchdown, cutting the lead to 22-20, on an 85-yard pass from Romani.

Antioch's passing game finished 8-of-16 for 185 yards and three picks.

Antioch coach Brian Glashagel said he thinks the Sequoits can bounce back from the loss.

"It was a playoff-type game. Our defense shut them down, but Grant did such a good job of running so much clock with their offense," Glashagel. "As hard as our kids played [defense], it seemed like they were on the field forever. That was the key. We did not have enough time."

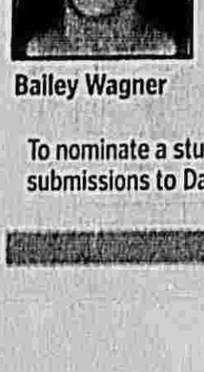
### QuickHitters



Greg Kennedy

**Greg Kennedy - Warren**

Warren sophomore Greg Kennedy might have punched in his card as one of the premier running backs in the area after his performance Sept. 7. In just one half, he scored on a 94-yard kickoff return, a 6-yard catch, and a 55-yard touchdown run.



Bailey Wagner

**Bailey Wagner - Grant**

After all those accolades in track, three-sport athlete Bailey Wagner proved she can do more than just shot put. Against Marengo, Wagner scored five kills and seven blocks. As a server, she also finished the match with two aces.

To nominate a student athlete for Quick Hitters, please send submissions to Daniel J. Patrick at dpatrick@nwnewsgroup.com.

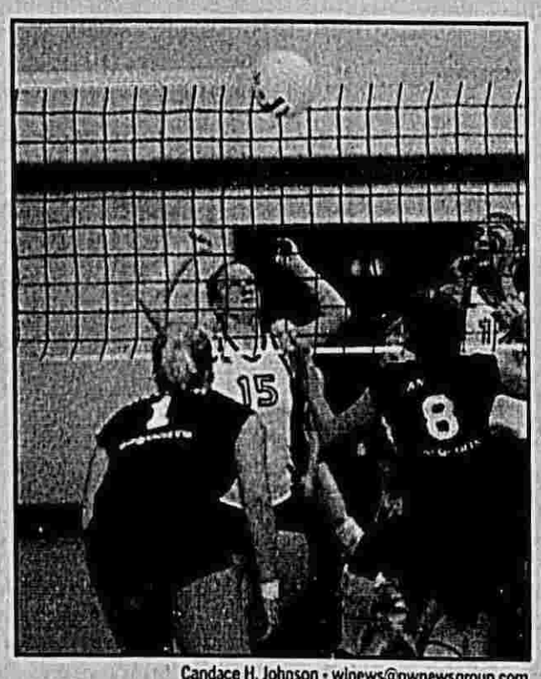
### GameOfTheWeek

Lakes Eagles vs. Grant Bulldogs

**What:** Football - Lakes vs. Grant
**Where:** Lakes Community High School
**When:** 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 14

Football season is in full swing and the conference schedule has begun. In this North Suburban Conference Prairie Division game, Lakes and Grant should put up a great contest. Lakes is hungry for a win after losing the last two games by a touchdown or less. Meanwhile, Grant is working to keep its perfect 3-0 record unblemished in week four.

## Setting up



Candace H. Johnson - wjnews@nwnewsgroup.com
Taylor York, of Grayslake North, keeps her eyes on the ball as her team goes up against Antioch during the Lakes Volleyball Invitational in Lake Villa.

## >>UpcomingGames

**Friday, Sept. 14**

**Football**
Carmel at Notre Dame, 7:30 p.m.
Crystal Lake South at Grayslake North, 7:45 p.m.
Grant at Lakes, 7:30 p.m.
Jacobs at Grayslake Central, 7:45 p.m.
North Chicago at Round Lake, 7 p.m.
Vernon Hills at Libertyville, 7:30 p.m.
Warren at Lake Zurich, 7:30 p.m.
Wauconda at Antioch, 7:30 p.m.

**Saturday, Sept. 15**

**Cross Country**
Warren Invitational, 9 a.m.

**Girls Field Hockey**
Antioch at River Forest Invitational, 8 a.m.

**Football**
Mundelein at Lake Forest, 1 p.m.

**Boys Golf**
Grant Invitational, 7 a.m.
Lake Forest Quad at Foss Park, TBA

**Girls Golf**
Antioch Invitational at Antioch Golf Course, 7 a.m.

**Boys Soccer**
Bartlett Tournament, 4:30/6:30 p.m.

**Girls Swimming**
Patriot Relays at Stevenson, 10 a.m.

**Girls Tennis**
Hersey Invitational, 8 a.m.
Huntley Quad, 9 a.m.
Palatine Quad, 9 a.m.

**Girls Volleyball**
Maine East Invitational, 9 a.m.
St. Viator Invitational, 6 p.m.
Wauconda Invitational, 8 a.m.

**Monday, Sept. 17**

**Cross Country**
Antioch, Warren at Fox River Park, 4:45 p.m.

>> Football: Wauconda 30, North Chicago 19

# The 'Wiz' kid

## Running back leads Bulldogs to 3-0 start

By STEVE PETERSON
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WAUCONDA – It was well past midnight when the Wauconda buses finally rolled into the school parking lot after a Sept. 7 game.

The late, or early, hour did not seem to bother the Bulldogs, who had gotten the job done in a 30-19 win over North Chicago. The win gave Wauconda a flawless 3-0 start for the first time in years and started off the conference season on the right foot with a 1-0 record in the North Suburban Conference Prairie Division.

> "It feels good [to be 3-0], but we have a lot of hard work left."
>
> **Glen Kozlowski**
> Wauconda head coach

Wauconda had to overcome deficits at North Chicago for their win, but that was no problem, with Brad "The Wiz" Wisniewski adding three touchdowns, one for 37 yards. He has seven on the season.

Wisniewski racked up 180 yards and three scores on 30 rushes. His 37-yard score put Wauconda back in the game after an early 7-0 deficit courtesy of a 12-yard pass from Warhawks quarterback Blake Collins to Marquise Miller. The teams headed into halftime at a 7-7 tie due to Wisniewski's score.

In the second half, the Bulldogs started off on the right foot as quarterback Garrett Dorsey teamed up with Davis Mills for a 55-yard touchdown strike for another score. Wauconda also scored on North Chicago safety.

"Everything we do goes through Brad," Wauconda coach Glen Kozlowski said. "We were able to put together some nice drives, and Mills and Palmer had good games. We stuck to what we do best, run the ball."

Kozlowski's crew ran up the score after a pair of Wisniewski scores – both 7-yard touchdown scampers. But North Chicago was able to rack up the final score with a 86-yard scoring pass, from Collins to Miller.

After the win, the Bulldogs will seek their fourth-straight win, and the most of any campaign in the Kozlowski era next week. Last year, Wauconda finished the season with four wins after three in 2005.

"It feels good [to be 3-0], but we have a lot of hard work left," Kozlowski said.

Wauconda will face Antioch Sept. 14 and must limit top players Lamarr Pottinger and Cameron White to get the win.

## >> HometownSports

**Mundelein basketball league**

The Mundelein Mustangs will host a fall basketball league for players from the fourth through ninth grades. The games will be every Sunday from Sept. 16 until Oct. 28 at Mundelein High School from 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

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# WEEKLY PLANNER

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| Bears | | | KANSAS CITY 3:15 p.m. CBS, AM-780 | | | | |
| Fire | | NEW YORK 7:30 p.m. FSC, AM-1200 (Spanish) | | | | | at Dallas 7 p.m. ESPN2, AM-1200 (Spanish) |
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| White Sox | L.A. ANGELS 7:11 p.m. CSN-Plus, AM-670 | L.A. ANGELS 6:05 p.m. WGN, AM-670 | L.A. ANGELS 1:05 p.m. CSN, AM-670 | at Kansas City 7:10 p.m. WCIU, AM-670 | at Kansas City 7:10 p.m. CSN-Plus, AM-670 | at Kansas City 7:10 p.m. CSN, AM-670 | at Kansas City 7:10 p.m. WGN, AM-670 |


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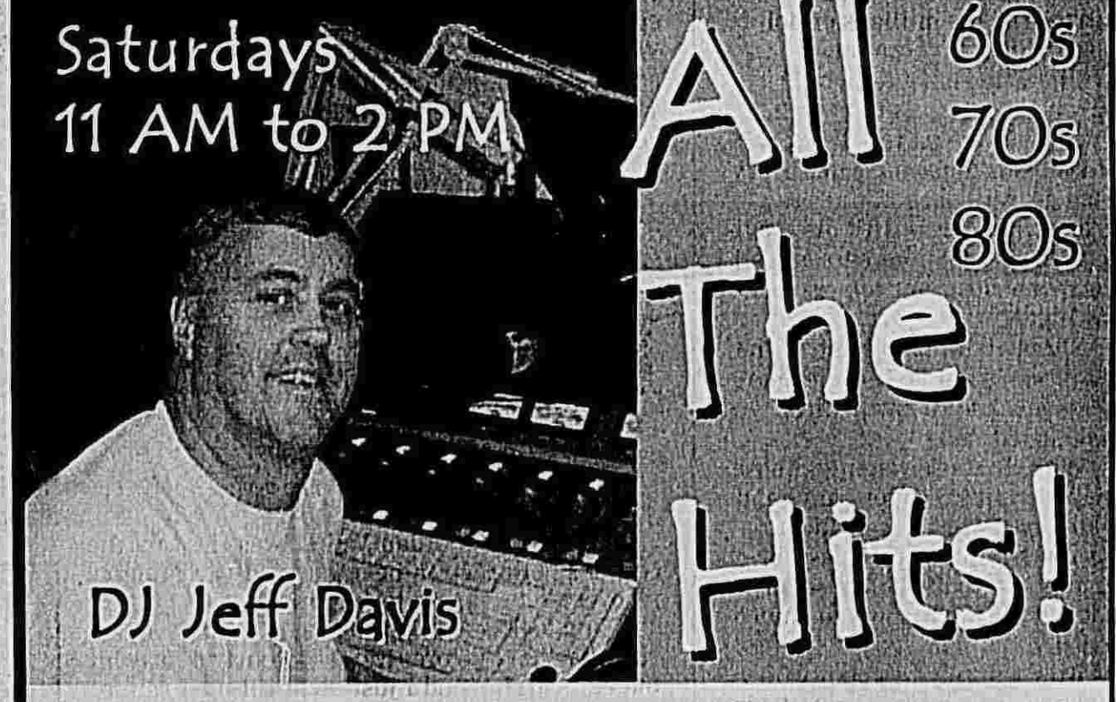
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# Sophomore's presence known in Blue Devils first win this season

• WARREN

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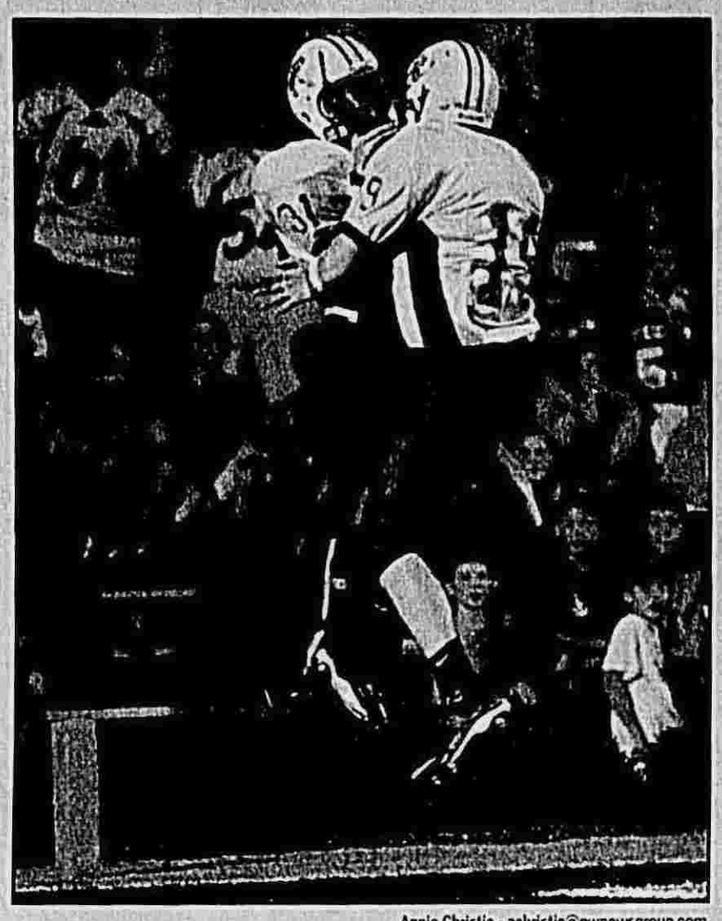
On the next Blue Devil drive, Kennedy again made his presence known, this time with a 55-yard touchdown scamper to give his team the 29-10 lead at the end of the third quarter.

Kennedy's speedy legs and Fox's accurate kicking leg seemed to make up Warren's offense.

Fox scored four field goals for Warren, including three in the second half and the big 47-yard boot in the third quarter.

But it wasn't just Kennedy who contributed as Warren's first score came courtesy of a 25-yard defensive touchdown from Corey Harris. Harris' touchdown was the lone Warren touchdown in the first half before Kennedy went to work.

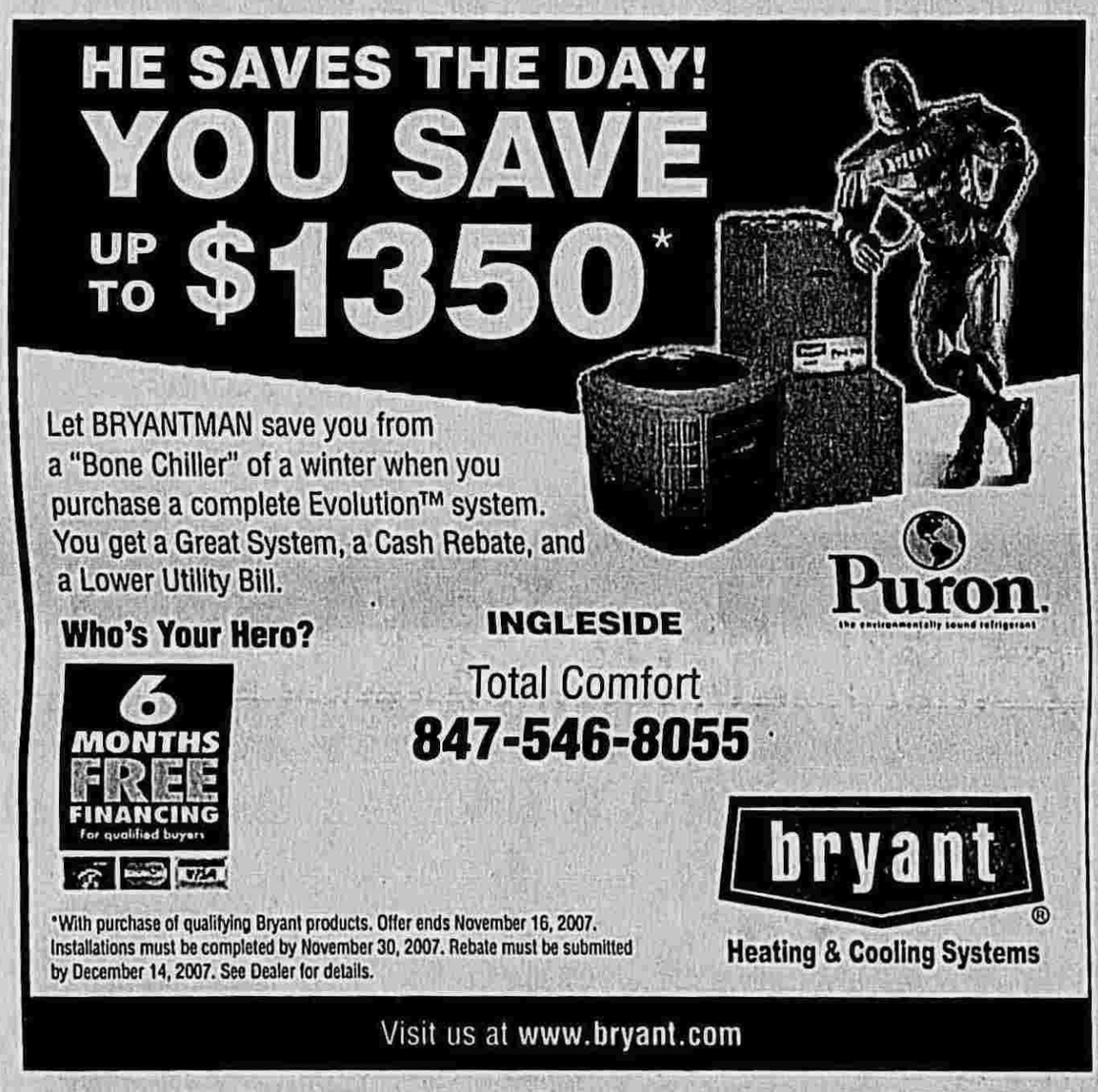
"I just wanted to try to help us win, but I never expected to get so many big plays," Kennedy said. "I'm just glad we got the win."



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**Warren running back Greg Kennedy and quarterback Zach Shaw celebrate after Kennedy's 55-yard touchdown run.**

Kennedy and the Blue Devils got their first win of the season to get to 1-2 (1-0 North Suburban Conference Lake Division) and Libertyville's Wildcats dropped their second in a row to 1-2 (0-1 NSC-Lake). Skyler Shaw was Libertyville's biggest threat with 70 rushing yards and also caught a 70-yard pass in the second quarter.



>> Views

# Blame PGA Tour for player absences



**Kevin Kaduk**

LEMONT – Tiger Woods avoided the first week.

Ernie Els skipped the second.

Now points leader Phil Mickelson won't be playing at the BMW Championship at Cog Hill in this weekend's third leg of the PGA Tour's new FedEx Cup playoff system.

Wait. Can you hear that?

Ah, yes, it's the sound of commissioner Tim Finchem's pet project quickly turning from a showcase of stars into a weekly series of milk carton "missing" ads.

This is the plan Finchem thought would drive interest in golf once we got past the majors? Instead of interest, there's plenty of disgust to be voiced about this bait-and-switch, especially if you bought tickets for the BMW Championship thinking all of the world's best golfers would play as promised.

After dueling at the Deutsche Bank Championship in Boston, Mickelson and Woods both were part of a planned Thursday-Friday threesome with former Illini golfer Steve Stricker.

But that was before Deutsche champion Lefty decided he would rather spend time with his family this weekend. (Yet not before he flew to Chicago to attend a corporate outing at Medinah Country Club on Tuesday. Perhaps his wife found a sitter?)

If you're angry and looking for someone to blame for this mess, don't fall prey to the easy targets, the absent and seemingly indifferent golfers.

Point your finger at the enabling Finchem and his Tour organizers instead.

Blame them for going ahead with the FedEx Cup without assurances that the top players would back the new plan and play in all four playoff tournaments.

Blame them for not being responsive to player input when it comes to the Cup format, an oversight that appears to have caused a rift between Mickelson and Finchem.

Blame them for setting up an absurd points system that allows top golfers (including British Open winner Padraig Harrington, who also will miss the BMW) to skip a week yet still remain in the hunt for the $10 million retirement bonus that will be awarded to the winner of the Cup.

"I think if the Tour were to look back in hindsight, the idea was to get all the top players to play in all four," Luke Donald said recently. "Obviously, Tiger has missed one, Ernie didn't play last week and Phil [is out]. You know, that's obviously not what the Tour wanted."

What the Tour wanted was extra publicity once football season began dominating the landscape and NASCAR started the chase for its own Cup. But while people are talking about golf in September, they're discussing it for all the wrong reasons. If Finchem doesn't make necessary changes before next fall, the FedEx Cup could be gone before any of us ever learned to like it.

It shouldn't be that hard of a fix, though Finchem must recognize he's dealing with a set of athletes who have the most control over their governing body. Woods and Mickelson are well aware that their presence directly translates into gate receipts and TV ratings. Considering that, every effort should be made to accommodate them, even if it means not requiring them to show for the mandatory Wednesday pro-ams.

Would the corporate sponsors approve? Of course not, but does the head of Budweiser play catch with Peyton Manning a few days before the Super Bowl? The people with the money will live.

At the same time, Finchem has to set a hard line and stick to it. Once a player is in, he's in. Want a shot at the $10 million bonus? Want a shot at the individual purses for the four tournaments? Then make a commitment to all four weeks or sit home during one of the Tour's biggest money grabs.

"There are so many different scenarios you could come up with," Donald said. "But it's finding the one that is fair for the Tour and fair for everyone."

That might take some thinking and maybe some compromising, but it definitely is possible. By next year, Finchem should set a goal of having each fan exclaiming, "Did you see Mickelson!"

That sure will beat the depressing question that people are asking at Cog Hill this week. If you heard it once, you heard it 10 times.

Anybody seen Mickelson?

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>> VolleyRoundup

# Wauconda wins Lakes tourney

LAKE COUNTY JOURNALS

Wauconda's girls volleyball team successfully defended its Lakes Tournament Championship with a 4-1 record. Wauconda and Antioch both had 4-1 marks, but Wauconda beat Antioch in the first round, 12-25, 25-17, 15-11.

Kristy Waltenburg had 91 assists for the Bulldogs. At the net, Becky Breakfield had 35 kills and Lauren Mead 33 kills. Wauconda won 26-24. 23-25, 15-11. Corinne Feight had and Michelle Waltenburg had five aces each. Lisa Aguilar and Waltenburg had 30 digs each.

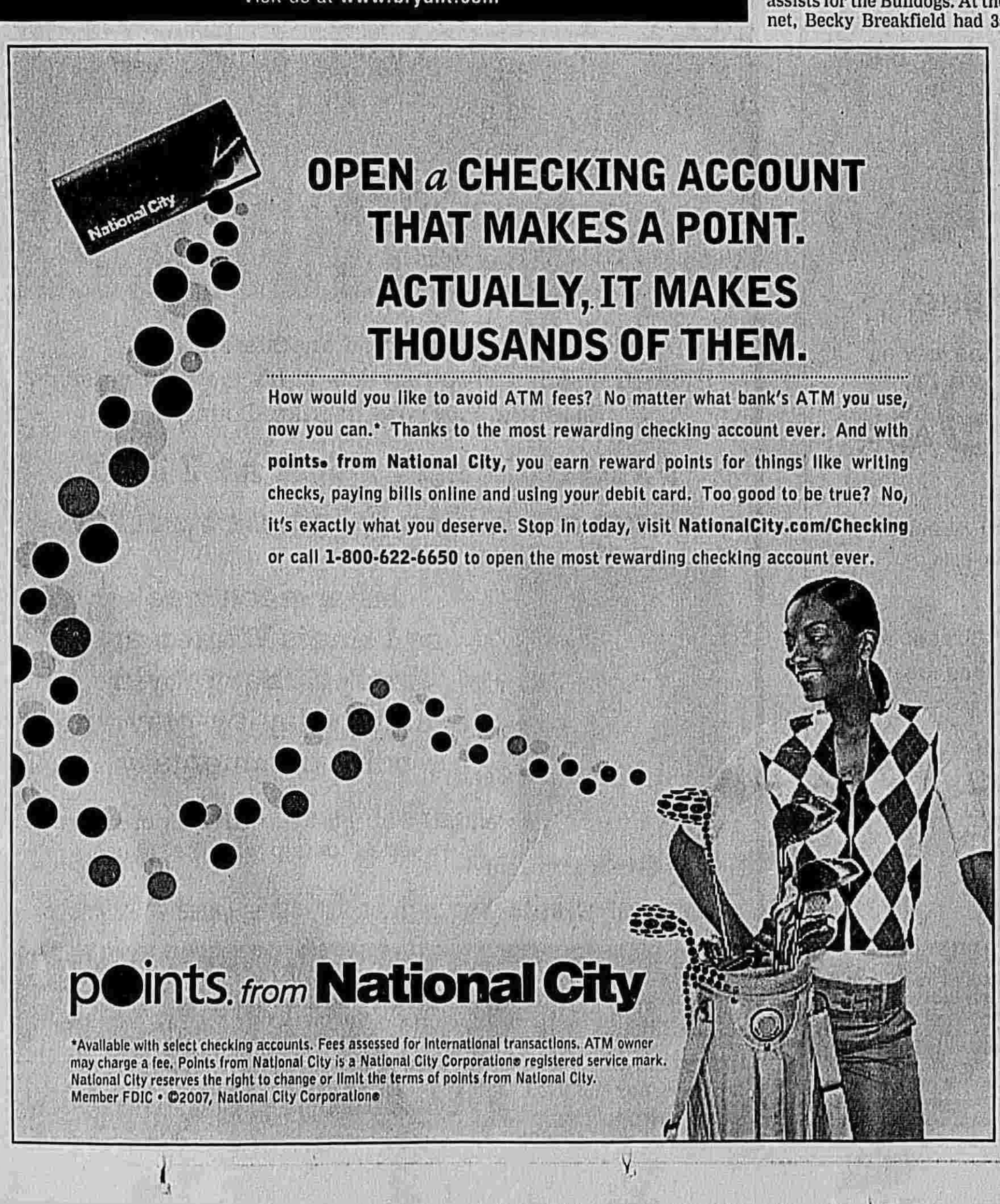
Final team standings were: Grayslake Central and Grayslake North were 3-2, Lakes 1-4 and Wilmot 0-5. Antioch won each of its matches after losing to Wauconda, Sept. 8. Wauconda hosts its own tourney Sept. 15.

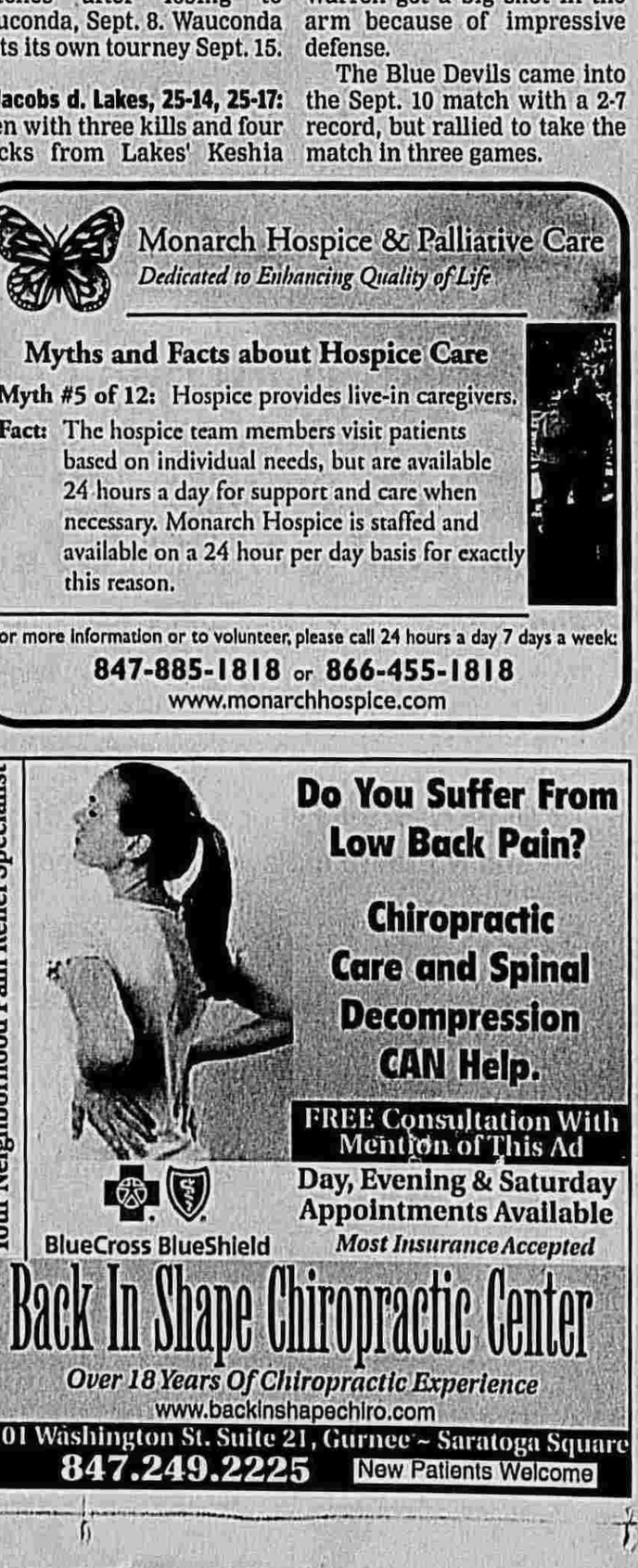
**Jacobs d. Lakes, 25-14, 25-17:** Even with three kills and four blocks from Lakes' Keshia Cunningham, she couldn't keep the Eagles from falling in straight sets.

Meanwhile, Steffanie Fisher and Mandy Fischer put up six blocks apiece for Lakes on Sept. 10.

**Warren d. Carmel 25-23, 17-25, 25-21:** Despite Carmel's standing as one of the best volleyball teams in the area, Warren got a big shot in the arm because of impressive defense.

The Blue Devils came into the Sept. 10 match with a 2-7 record, but rallied to take the match in three games.

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# Shining a light on skylight myths

(NAPSA)-One of the best ways to add natural light to a room is also one of the most frequently overlooked.

Modern skylights let homeowners add balanced light, beauty and a sense of space to most any room in a home. Yet myths about skylights sometimes prevent homeowners from having them installed.

For instance, research shows that many people mistakenly believe that a skylight is bound to leak at some point. But industry experts say preventing leaks is simply a matter of proper installation and using flashing matched to the unit being installed.

"Skylights from reputable manufacturers are built to be totally dependable, just as are quality windows," says Joe Patrick, senior product manager with VELUX America, a leading skylight manufacturer. "Anytime a hole is cut in a roof or frame of a home, the potential for air or moisture entering exists. But proper installation techniques and materials can take care of those concerns," he explains.

### Controlling Heat And Light

Another point often lost on homeowners is that skylights offer as many or more accessories to control heat and light as do vertical windows. There are Venetian blinds to adjust the light and cellular shades to diffuse it. Lightblock shades can totally or partially block light, which is especially useful in bedrooms, while exterior Heatblock awnings can prevent heat from entering rooms during hot weather but admit needed heat on colder days. The latest technology is electrochromic glass in skylights that can be darkened or lightened electronically by remote control without blocking the view of the sky.

### Saving Energy

"And even before accessories are considered," Patrick says, "skylight glazings are among the best in the industry. Quality units employ double-pane construction with argon gas between low-E coated panes for control of heat gain or loss. These glazings control up to 83 percent of the sun's fade-causing rays and resist condensation so well that a home can contain up to 50 percent more humidity before condensation will occur." There are even impact glass models available that meet the strictest code requirements for wind-borne debris protection in hurricane-prone and other high-wind areas.

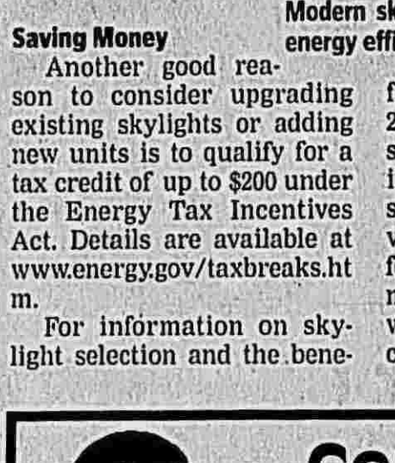


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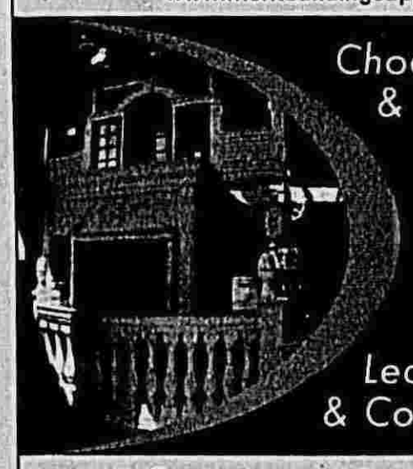
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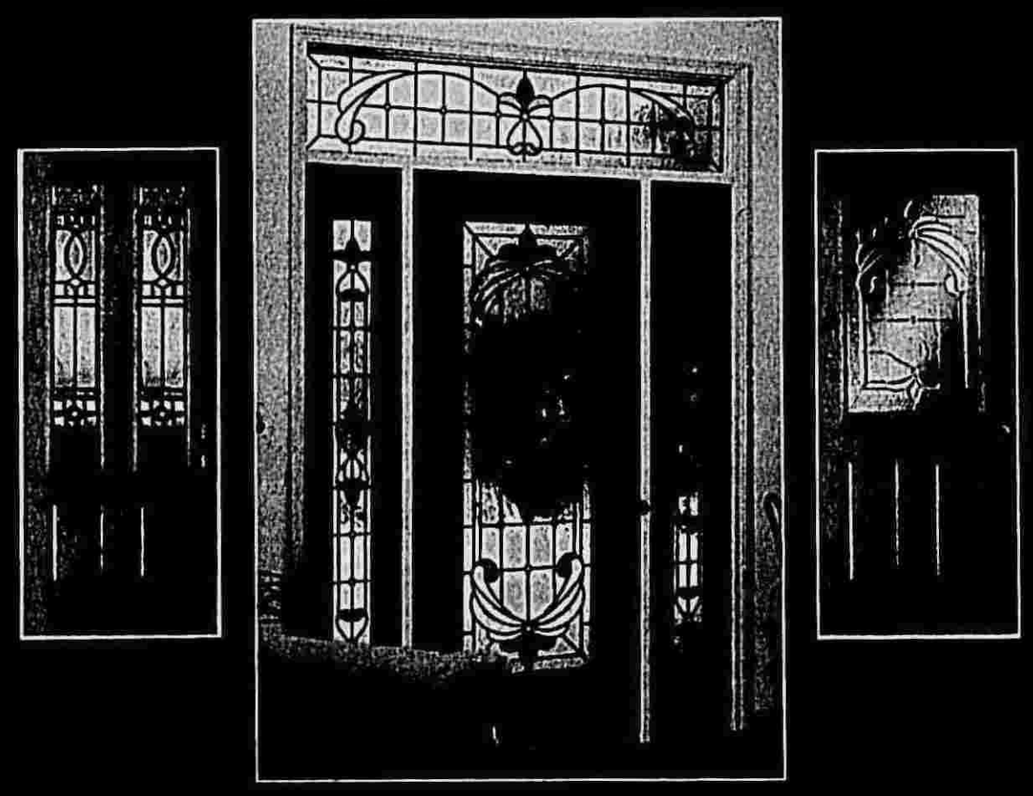
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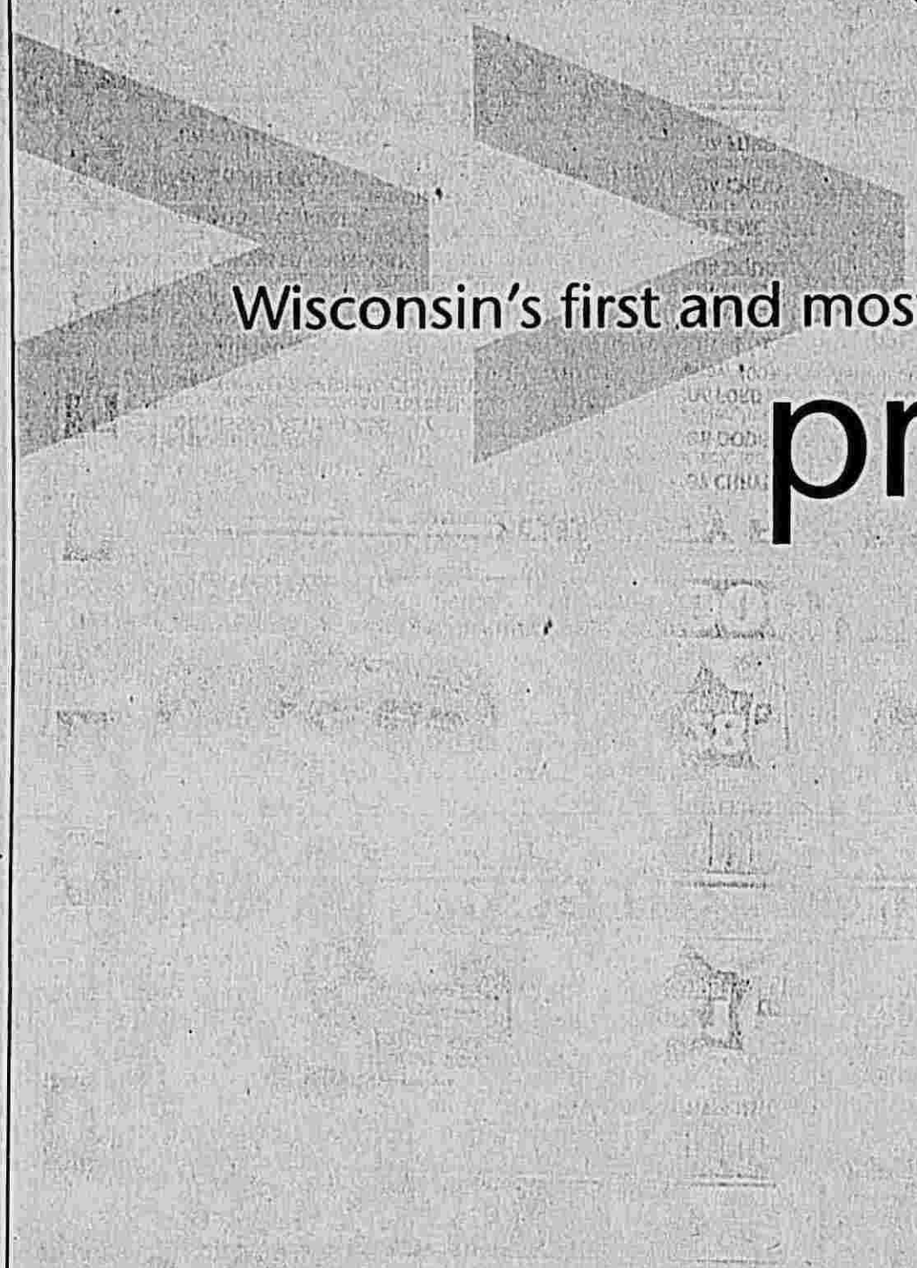


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1. Don't rush into a renovation. Renovations should not be done quickly. Planning is one of the key elements of any project. Take a few months to figure out what you really want done, consult experts, if needed, and draw up a plan of action. You also want to compare costs of supplies and labor so that you get the best value you can.

2. Don't underestimate the time frame for completion. You may have lofty goals of completing your project in a set time frame, but it's Murphy's Law that unexpected things always pop up to squash even the best-laid plans. It's reasonable to have a budget and a tentative schedule, but keep in the back of your mind that things like unexpected repairs, permit applications, contractor delays, etc. could — and likely will — push a project beyond your estimates.

3. Don't think you can do all the work yourself. Many homeowners like to get their hands dirty and think they'll save money through "sweat equity." What you save in labor you may make up in mistakes and the extra time it takes to complete a project. While not all contractors are good ones, the ones who know their jobs can usually complete work in half the time of a do-it-yourselfer. You have to weigh the benefits.

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# Energy savings with an insulated garage door

(MS) — Homeowners make a lot of effort to reduce energy costs. However, even if they have done a good job of implementing measures to lower utility bills, they still remain high. This is because homeowners often forget to consider the largest moving part of their home — the garage.

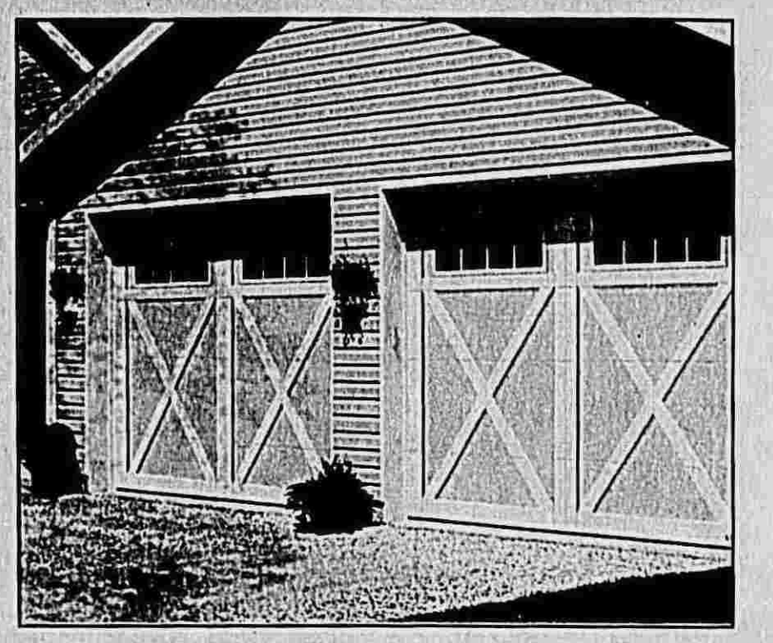
According to Vicky Leclerc from Garaga Inc., there are many advantages to making energy saving improvements in your garage. In fact, it will keep the garage area and adjacent rooms to the garage warmer in winter and cooler in the summer. Moreover, if you use the garage as a workshop or a recreation area, having an insulated door will keep the temperature more comfortable.

Vicky Leclerc notes that the first thing to look at is the insulation value of your garage door. A higher R-value is better for energy savings. The inside skins of a door are insulated with either polysterene or polyurethane. Polyurethane provides twice the insulation value compared to polysterene. It bonds the door's skin and adheres to the metal, ensuring strength that reduces the chance of the metal skin separating from the insulation.

Notice that the advertised R-value of a garage door means very little if the door does not have a complete thermal break system and a proper weather seal system around all four sides of the door and between door sections. Without thermal break, heat and cold will move from the outside of the door to inside of the garage, reducing the insulation value of the door. Metal end caps may allow frost build up and the door sections to freeze together.

Ms. Leclerc says "the perimeter weather seal system is useful to prevent wind, rain and snow from entering the garage. The type of weather seal used should not be overlooked". The proper perimeter weather seal is made up of two parts, the seal gasket and the holder. The seal gasket should be made of rubber so it will not split or crack.

Finally, what makes the difference between two insulated garage doors is the way they are installed. Homeowners can count on garage door specialists like Garaga to help them out with their garage door.

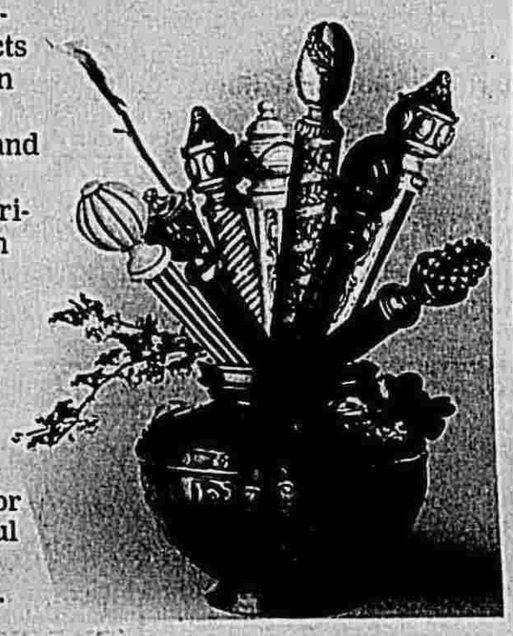


# A room's finishing touches

(MS) — Today's homeowners recognize that the architectural and accentual details of a home are integral to creating a complete design scheme. While furniture and paint color can go far in setting the mood of a room, other details like wall hangings, window treatments, mouldings and sconces can provide the finishing touches to a room.

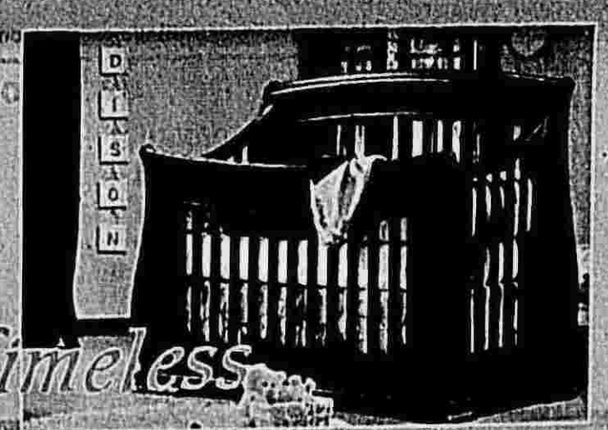
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# How to avoid the dangers of pollution when weatherizing your home

(MS) — With global warming and energy consumption becoming ever present issues in our daily lives, more and more Americans are now choosing to weatherize their homes in order to reduce the amount of energy required for heating and cooling. What we often neglect during this process, however, are the steps we should also take to minimize the dangers from pollution sources inside our homes.

In the last several years, a growing body of scientific evidence has indicated that the air within homes can be more seriously polluted than the outdoor air in even the largest and most industrialized cities. According to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), people spend approximately 90 percent of their time indoors, especially during the cold winter months. Thus, for many people, the risks to health may be greater due to exposure to air pollution indoors than outdoors.

Measures such as installing storm windows, weather stripping, caulking and blown-in wall insulation can reduce the amount of outdoor air infiltrating into a home. Consequently, after winterizing, concentrations of indoor air pollutants from sources inside the home can increase.

According to Gerry Gagnon, product and market manager for Venmar Ventilation, first clues of poor indoor air in your home are the signs of inadequate ventilation, such as stuffy air, moisture condensation on cold surfaces, or mold and mildew growth. "It's crucial that additional weatherization measures should not be undertaken until these problems have been corrected," he advised.

In most cases, homes have an overly humid basement that breeds molds and other unhealthy micro-organisms.

Most homes have more than one source that contributes to indoor air pollution. Some of these sources can include smoke, dust, pet dander, radon, mold and other pollutants which can pose serious health risks and contribute to respiratory disease, asthma and even lung cancer.

Fortunately, there are steps that you can take both to reduce the risk from these existing sources and to prevent new problems from occurring. Here are some tips to consider:

• Operate bathroom fans, if present, to remove moisture from showers (these fans should be ducted to the outside of the home), or simply crack the window to prevent moisture buildup.

• When a wood fire is present, a window should always be kept open — especially in a tightly sealed, energy efficient house.

• Invest in a quality range hood that will offer high-performance ventilation to effectively eliminate pollution, excess moisture and gas emissions in the kitchen from every day cooking.

• Install a carbon monoxide detector on every floor of the house.

• Make sure a home's roof and windows are in good shape. Water leaks, condensation and elevated levels of humidity may not be visible, but moisture in interior wall spaces can encourage mold growth and structural degradation.

• For optimal air quality, Gagnon recommends you invest in an air exchanger system that will both filter out harmful pollutants and distribute fresh tempered air throughout the home, such as the air exchanger system from Venmar. It combines heat recovery ventilation and HEPA filtration. The HEPA filter works to trap airborne allergens and assists in distributing fresh air throughout the home.

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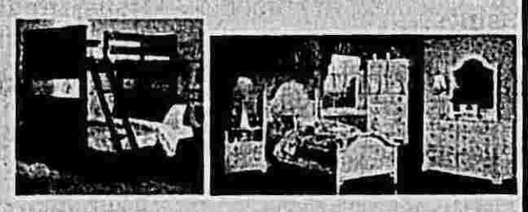
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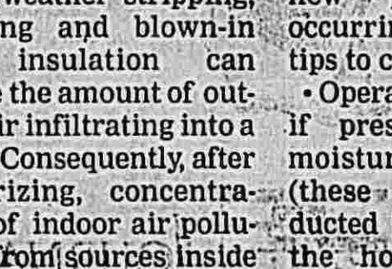
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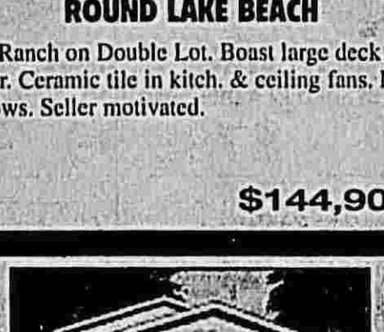
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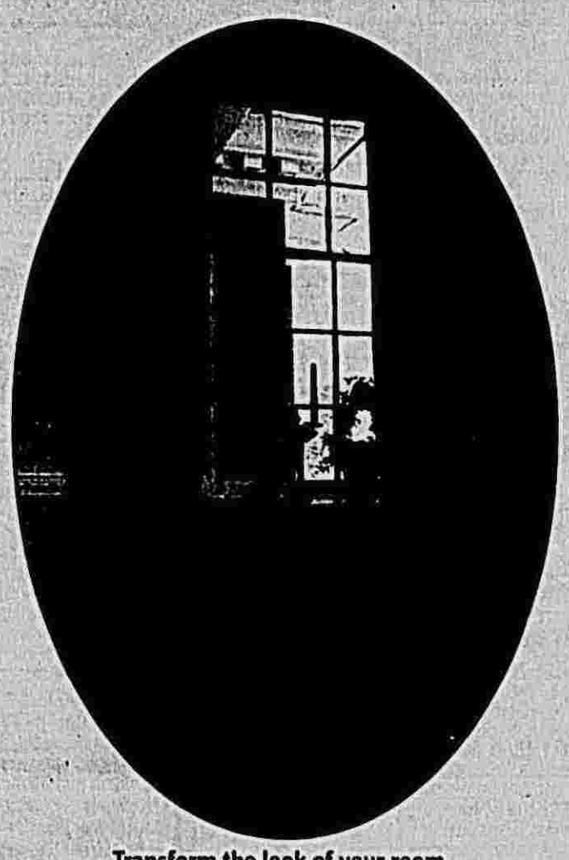
# Wood Floors:
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(MS) — Tired of looking at your old, outdated floors? Thinking of moving and looking for an impactful way to increase the value of your home? Consider installing wood floors in one room — or even the entire house for maximum impact. Summer and fall are the perfect times for making major indoor changes; your family can spend quality time outdoors enjoying the weather while your home undergoes a gorgeous transformation.

A national survey of realtors revealed that homes with wood flooring can fetch higher prices at resale time. And a March 2007 article in the Denver Business Journal suggests that one of the top remodeling trends is the addition (or renovation) of wood floors. With a huge selection of flooring materials, styles and even colors available to the homeowner today, how to decide what to choose?

The existing style of your home — the colors, the furniture, the overall look and feel — might help guide you to a flooring product perfect for your situation. Do your research and find the option offering the best customization options and return on investment. One such product to consider: Southern Pine interior flooring.

Southern Pine is the hardest of the softwoods, making it a great choice for interior flooring. It's as versatile as they come: add a clear stain to enjoy the bright, warm, natural golden color that has made Southern Pine a popular flooring choice for centuries. Or stain it to complement your existing furniture and décor. If a rustic mountain cabin or an open-air beach house is more your style, paint the floor for a touch of style and whimsy.

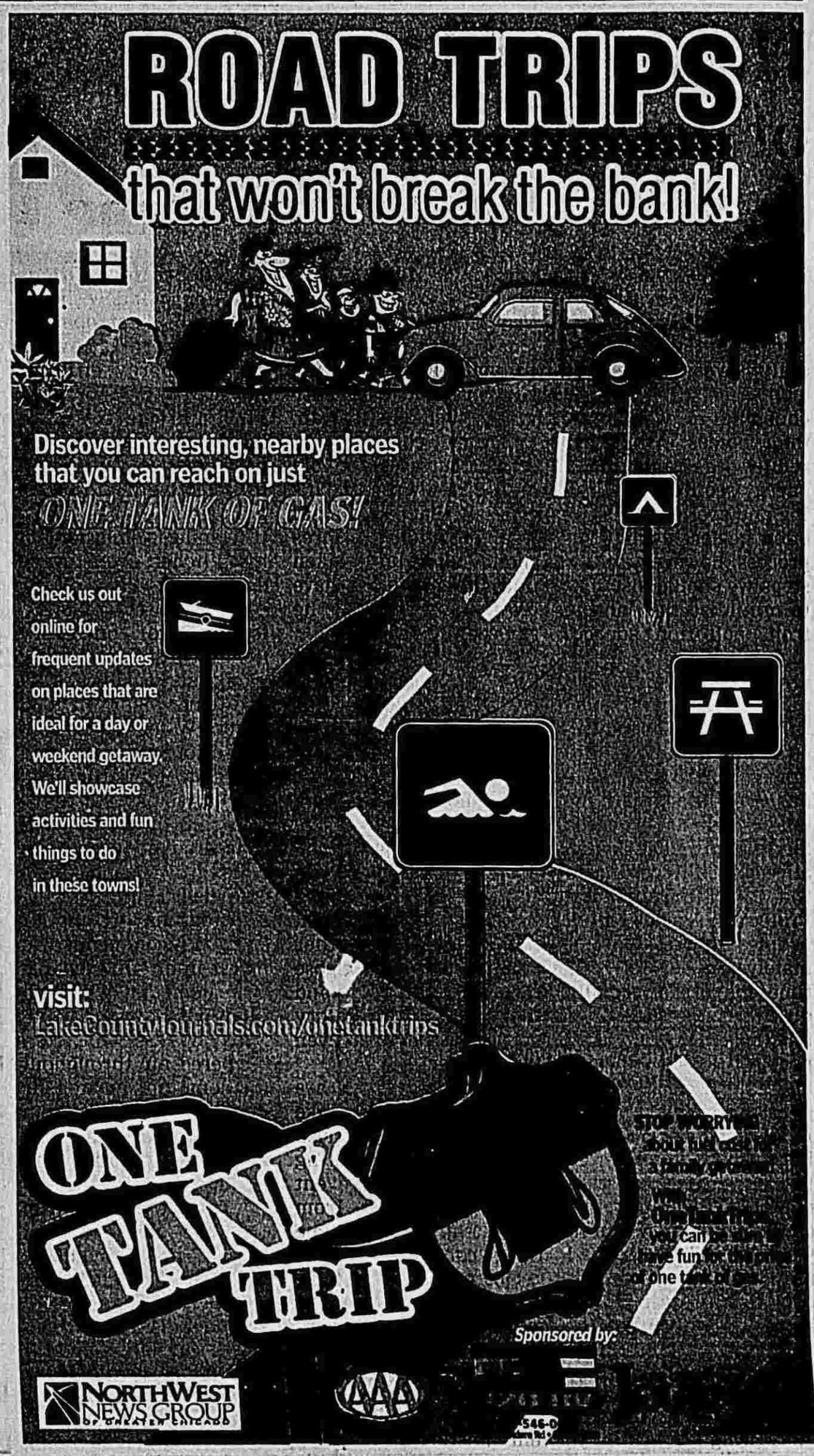


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Once the Southern Pine flooring is installed, your design theme can be continued with throw rugs or floor pillows in complimentary colors and fabrics.

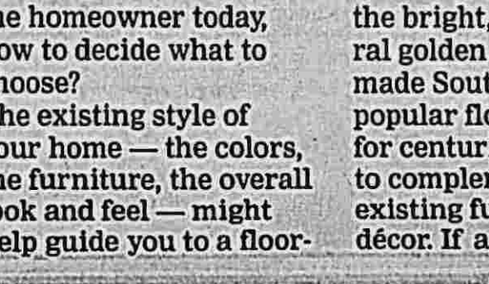
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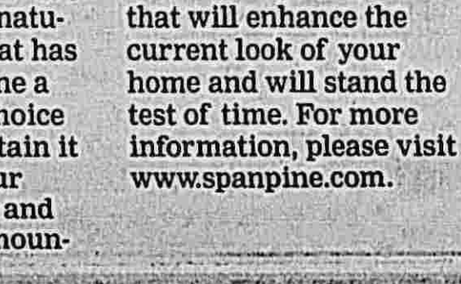




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TABLES – OAK
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Twin Bed Set w/mattress, underbed storage drawers & cabinet. Chest of drawers & toy box. Med. pine color. $99. 815-356-1424

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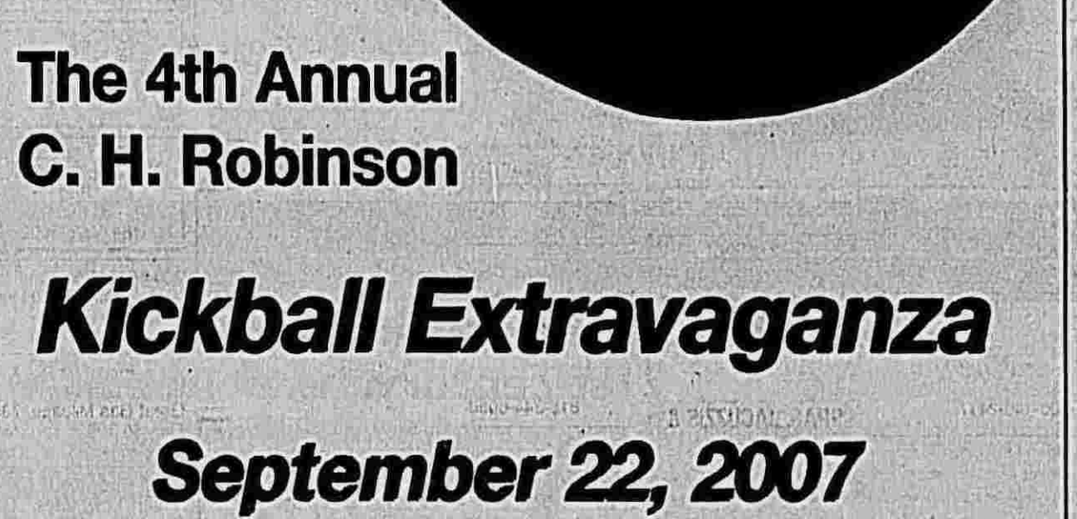
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ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
**ABSOLUTE ENTERTAINMENT DJ SERVICE**
Nature/Purpose:
**Disc Jockey Entertainment**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
**401 N. Riverside Dr., Suite 11, Gurnee, IL 60031, 847-740-2710**
Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**Richard Mosher, 99 N. Delany Rd., Gurnee, IL 60031, 847-662-9397**
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location (s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Richard Mosher
August 27, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 27 day of August, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Zenona M. Stergiou
Notary Public
Received: August 28, 2007
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
(Published in the *Lake County Journals*, September 7, 14 & 21, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
**CHAVEZ EXTERIORS**
Nature/Purpose:
**Siding & Roofing**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
**1315 Idlewild Dr., Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, 847-740-5584**
Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**Miguel A. Chavez, 1315 Idlewild Dr., Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, 847-740-5584**
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location (s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Miguel A. Chavez
August 31, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 31 day of August, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Stephanie Martinez
Notary Public
Received: August 31, 2007
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
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### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
**FIVE STAR CLEANERS**
Nature/Purpose:
**Dry Cleaning & Laundry Service**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
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Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**HYO-BOK HAN, 1120 W. Nichols Dr., Arlington Hts, IL 60004**
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This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location (s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Hyo-Bok Han
September 11, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 11th day of September, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Erini Kikilis
Notary Public
Received: September 11, 2007
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
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### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Education of Round Lake Area School District #116 is seeking bids from qualified HVAC contractors to provide quotations for an air conditioning system for 3 classrooms at the high school A mandatory pre-bid/walk through will be held at the Round Lake High School, 800 High School Drive, Round Lake, IL 60073 at 3:30 on September 17, 2007. Complete bid specifications can be obtained from Walter J. Korpan, Chief Financial Officer, between the hours of 7:45 am and 4:15 pm at the Administrative Service Center, 316 S. Rosedale Ct., Round Lake, IL. Sealed bids will be accepted until September 24, 2007 at 9:00 am at which time they will be opened and tabulated. No fixed bids will be accepted.
Board of Education
Annette Negrete McGinley, Secretary
(Published in the *Round Lake Journal*, September 14, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

This is notify Crystal D. Bookout and Thomas Smith to remove their possession from the premises at 1812 Walnut Street, Waukegan, IL no later than September 30, 2007. After that date those items will be removed. Property owner is not liable.
(Published in the *Gumee / Wadsworth Journal*, September 7, 14 & 21, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
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Nature/Purpose:
**401(K) investment advice**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
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**PO Box 6691 Libertyville, IL 60048, 224-430-1190**
Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**Erik S. Greissinger, 2507 Bluewater Dr., Wauconda, IL 60084 847-487-0494;**
**Erik S. Greissinger, PO Box 6691 Libertyville, IL 60048, 224-430-1190**
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COUNTY OF LAKE
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/s/ Erik S. Greissinger
September 4, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 4th day of September, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Stephanie J. Martinez
Notary Public
Received: September 4, 2007
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
(Published in the *Lake County Journals*, September 14, 21 & 28, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
**RPM MUSIC**
Nature/Purpose:
**Disc Jockey Entertainment**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
**401 N. Riverside Dr., Suite 11, Gurnee, IL 60031, 847-662-9395**
Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**Richard Mosher, 99 N. Delany Rd., Gurnee, IL 60031, 847-662-9397**
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location (s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Richard Mosher
August 28, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 28th day of August, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Barbara J. Noster
Notary Public
Received: August 28, 2007
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
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### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
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Nature/Purpose:
**Surge supressors**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
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Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**Gerald R. White, 100 S. Atkinson Rd., Suite 116, Grayslake, IL 60030, 847-231-3119**
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COUNTY OF LAKE
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location (s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Gerald R. White
September 6, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 6th day of September, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Carl Butler
Notary Public
Received: September 6, 2007
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
(Published in the *Lake County Journals*, September 14, 21 & 28, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
**RPM MUSIC**
Nature/Purpose:
**Disc Jockey Entertainment**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
**401 N. Riverside Dr., Suite 11, Gurnee, IL 60031, 847-662-9395**
Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**Richard Mosher, 99 N. Delany Rd., Gurnee, IL 60031, 847-662-9397**
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location (s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Angie Jones
August 24, 2007
/s/ Angela G. Jones
August 24, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 24 day of August, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Stephanie Martinez
Notary Public
Received: August 24, 2007
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
(Published in the *Lake County Journals*, August 31, September 7 & 14, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Fox Lake Mini Storage will sell goods for non-payment from:
Unit 15 belonging to Randy Roberts consisting of household goods
The sale will take place at Fox Lake Mini Storage, 31 South Arlington Lane, Fox Lake, Illinois 60020 on September 29, 2007 at 10:00 a.m.
(Published in the *Fox Lake Journal*, September 14 & 21, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Virginia Rossductcher
Unit A-6, 10 x 20
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(Published in the Grayslake *Journals*, Septebmer 7 & 14, 2007.)

### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

Name of Business:
**WORK HARD PLAY HARD FITNESS**
Nature/Purpose:
**Fitness consulting and Education**
Address(es) where business is to be conducted or transacted in this county:
**18196 Elm Street, Wildwood, IL 60030, 847-846-4728;**
**PO Box 641, Grayslake, IL 60030, 847-846-4728**
Name(s) and post office or residence address(es) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting business:
**Angie Jones, PO Box 641, Grayslake, IL 60030, 847-846-4728**
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location (s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Angie Jones
August 24, 2007
/s/ Angela G. Jones
August 24, 2007
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 24 day of August, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Stephanie Martinez
Notary Public
Received: August 24, 2007
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## ASSUMED NAME

### PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME WITHDRAWAL OF OWNER(S) OR CANCELLATION

Name of Business:
**ABSOLUTE ENTERTAINMENT DJ SERVICE**
Original Date Filed
**JULY 30, 2004**
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE
This is to certify that the person(s) listed below has/have ceased doing business under the assumed name or has/have no further connection or financial interest in said business. Withdrawal shall be effective September 1st, 2007.
Jerry Wells,
1515 Williams Ave.,
Round Lake Beach,
IL 60073,
847-740-2710
/s/Jerry Wells
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) withdrawing from the business this 27th day of August, 2007.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Zenona M. Stergiou
Notary Public
Received: August 28, 2007
Willard R. Helander
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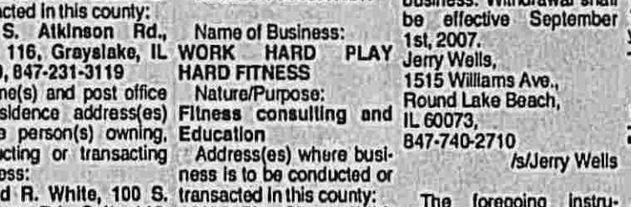
## PUBLIC NOTICE

LAKE VILLA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements

GENERAL FUND
May 1, 2006 to April 30, 2007

| | |
|---|---|
| **CASH RECEIPTS** | |
| Cash on Hand May 1, 2006 | $311,596.57 |
| Contract- | |
| Lake Villa Fire Protection District | 354,000.00 |
| Other Income | 16,632.43 |
| **Total Cash on Hand at beginning of year & Cash Received during fiscal year** | **$682,229.00** |
| **CASH DISBURSEMENTS** | |
| Administrative | $ 29,005.62 |
| Building | 23,044.92 |
| Fire Equipment | 133,513.34 |
| Insurance | 43,264.90 |
| Personnel | 161,400.73 |
| Radio | 4,713.36 |
| Utilities | 16,995.44 |
| **Total Cash Disbursements** | **$411,938.31** |
| **BALANCE ON HAND APRIL 30, 2007** | **$270,290.69** |

I, Brock Millsop, Treasurer of Lake Villa Volunteer Fire Department, do hereby solemnly swear that the above report contains a full and true statement of all moneys belonging to the General Fund of Lake Villa Volunteer Fire Department, received by us, and disbursed by us on account thereof during the period May 1, 2006 to April 30, 2007 inclusive, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
/s/Brock Millsop
Brock Millsop, Treasurer
(Published in the *Lake Villa / Lindenhurst Journals*, September 14, 2007.)




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The repair process begins when a detailed estimate is prepared, indicating all of the repairs needed to restore your vehicle to proper function and appearance. In some cases, this damage assessment requires removing damaged body panels or other parts. This results in the most accurate initial estimate possible. The parts listed on the estimate are then ordered. The collision repair business and your insurance company should explain whether the replacement parts are new parts ordered from the manufacturer of your vehicle, used parts ordered through an automotive recycler, or new parts manufactured by a company other than the manufacturer of your vehicle. Your collision repair business and insurer can explain the pros and cons of using each of these types of parts.

If your vehicle was hit hard in the collision, the repair facility should use a measuring system that checks specific points of your vehicle structure against dimensions provided by the vehicle or equipment manufacturer.

The repair facility will also need to measure your vehicle several times during the repair process to make sure it is within the recommended tolerances.

Whenever appropriate, original parts are repaired. Severely damaged parts need to be replaced. A properly trained technician can repair sheet metal and plastic so that it can be difficult, if not impossible, to find any indication of damage. In some cases, parts not included on the estimate may need to be ordered during the repair process if "hidden" damage is found.

After repairs are complete, the vehicle is ready to be painted. The areas to be painted are first prepared. Repaired areas are finely sanded, primer and corrosion protection products are applied and areas that won't be painted are "masked off" and protected. The painter then uses a paint mixing system to mix the paint that will match your vehicle's finish. A paint code on your vehicle provides the starting point, but generally requires a trained eye to match the paint to your vehicle. Often, paint will require "blending," a technique used to facilitate matching the color of your car. The paint is sprayed inside a spray booth designed to keep dust and other contaminants off the new finish.

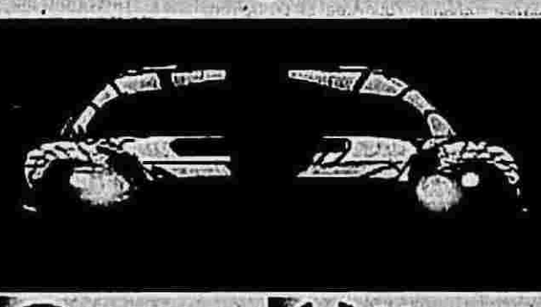
Once the painting is complete, the vehicle is reassembled with all trim pieces, decals and stripes. If any new glass is needed, it is usually installed at this point. The wheel alignment will also be checked if the collision damage was severe, if the vehicle spun, or if a tire, wheel, or suspension parts were damaged in the collision. This helps to catch any potential problems with the steering and suspension parts.

Finally, your vehicle is taken to the detailing area for a thorough interior and exterior cleaning. Any minor imperfections in the new paint surface will be removed by polishing and buffing. A final inspection checks that all work meets the repair facility's standards and the final paperwork is prepared for the vehicle owner and involved insurer.

Throughout this process, the repair business will be in contact with the insurance company handling the claim. The insurer may want to review the estimate and inspect the vehicle before or during the repair process. In some cases, the repair facility may need to obtain insurer and vehicle owner approval before completing additional necessary repairs not included on the initial estimate. Locating a collision repair business that will follow the proper repair procedures is important for any vehicle owner. Insurers and collision repair business owners alike say the key is looking for evidence of properly trained technicians, such as the I-CAR Gold Class Professionals® designation. Gold Class Professionals™ designated businesses are dedicated to training their employees on the latest collision repair technology to help achieve a safe and complete repair. The simplest way to locate a properly trained business is by searching the I-CAR Gold Class Professionals Online Business Directory at www.goldclass.com.


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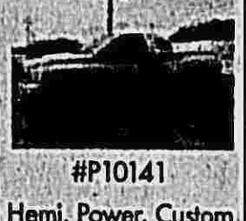
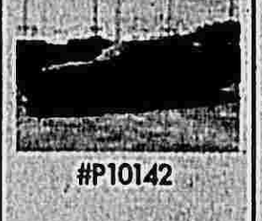
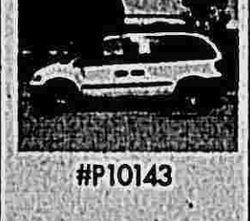
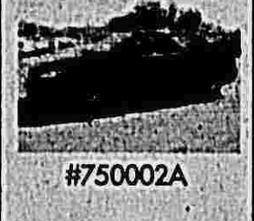
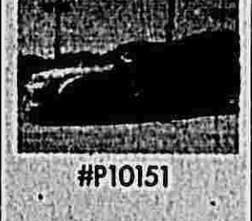
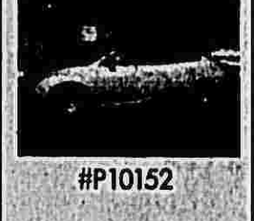
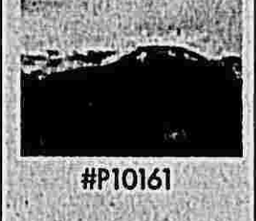
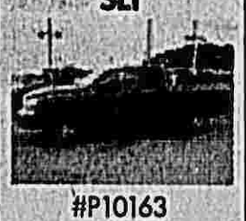
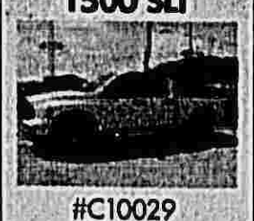
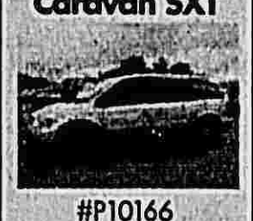
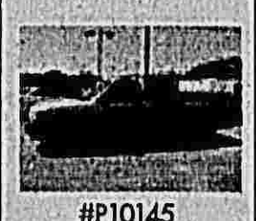
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